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Miss Shirley Ann Purnell:

Senior Wins 'Miss-Mid-South' Title



PLANNING A RECOGNITION AND TALENT PROGRAM in connection with the celebration of Teaching Career Month (April) are the above teachers. The program is scheduled for 8 p.m. Friday at Hamilton high school. Retired teachers will be given special recognition as well as teachers with 252-years or more of service, teachers with beginning tenure and future teachers who are now college seniors. Also "all

teachers" will be saluted. The above committee are: left-right: Mrs. Ruth Beauchamp, Willie Terry, Mrs. Fairy Austin, Mrs. Myrtle Crawford, Mrs. Annie Naylor, Mrs. Maudeen Seward. Standing: Johnnie, co-chairman, Mrs. Mary Collier, chairman; Mrs. Rachel Carhee, and Mrs. Rubye D. Spight.

Officials Agree To Attend Classes

GREENWOOD, Miss.—James McDonald, a field worker for the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, reported today that Greenwood Police Chief Lary and Mayor Sampson had both agreed to come to citizenship classes and speak about city government and law enforcement.

McDonald said that Annette Ponder, a field secretary for the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, and Susie Taylor, a Greenwood high school student and SNCC worker, went to speak to the two officials this morning. Both Miss Ponder and Miss Taylor had invited them in order to further mutual understanding in the community.

McDonald also reported that the last five persons remaining in jail after last week's arrest of 19 citizens near the Leflore County Courthouse were released Monday after they had put up \$500 property bond each.

Eric Rainey, a Greenwood citizen, was arrested Saturday night for "reckless driving," McDonald said, about eight hours after Rainey had tried to register.

James Forman, executive secretary of SNCC, said in Atlanta today after 8 days in Greenwood jails, "When the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee began a voter registration program in the Mississippi Delta in the summer of 1962, we realized that our efforts might be met by violence and intimidation. We were convinced then, and are convinced now, that no matter what it takes we will continue to work with the courageous citizens of Mississippi until all persons in the state, regardless of race, can vote."

Demonstrations To Continue Despite Beatings

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — Despite beatings, arrests and injunctions against their demonstrations, student anti-segregation leaders here have vowed they "will not tolerate for long violations of their rights as citizens."

Seven University of Tennessee students and two Knoxville College students — all members of Students for Equal Treatment (SET) — were arrested here April 5 and charged with assault and battery.

Deputy Sheriff R. S. Graves filed the complaint against them after the proprietor of the Tennessee Restaurant, where sit-ins have been held since March 29, obtained an injunction against 11 demonstrators. Marion Barry, of Memphis, former chairman of the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) and present co-chairman of SET, denied the assault and battery charges.

Barry was arrested at the restaurant on March 29. Two white students were charged with disturbing the peace and fined \$50 on March 29 after they obtained food for a Negro student at the segregated diner.

On March 30, full scale sit-ins began at the Tennessee. The only disturbance that day occurred when a special officer employed by the restaurant's manager dragged one demonstrator out the door. The others sat for over eight hours without receiving service.

Young Scientists Exhibit At Fair

The Sixth Annual Memphis Area Science Fair is now in progress, and exhibits will be on display in Bruce hall on the campus of LeMoyné college April 17-19.

Frank Gray is director of the fair and John W. Powell associate director.

The sponsors of this year's fair are Universal Life Insurance company and the Tri-State Defender newspaper.

Categories of science in which entries have been made are biological and physical sciences, chemistry, physics, mathematics and electronics.



KISS FOR A WINNER

'Oh! Really Me!' Cried Winner Of 'Miss-Mid South' Popularity

"Really! Really! me" cried 17-year-old Shirley Ann Purnell when she was informed that she had won the Miss-Mid South contest after being voted the most popular and prettiest girl in the Tri-State Area.

Miss Purnell, a senior at Manassas high school, added: "My! I'm glad it is over. I'm glad that I won." She turned to her mother, Mrs. Shelby Purnell of 960 Keel Ave., "Mommy! mommy! are you sure that I have won." Her mother assured her that the judges in the contest, which was sponsored by the Tri-State Defender newspaper, had found her to be the winner.

Mrs. Purnell said, when asked by a Tri-State Defender reporter how she felt about her daughter winning the first annual popularity contest: "I had to cry — because I was so happy that she had won. My daughter wanted to win so badly. She worked very hard."

She sacrificed a lot of time helping her to collect votes," said Mrs. Purnell.

The winner and her mother both expressed great appreciation to friends, churches and organizations who supported Miss Purnell in the contest by voting for her. The mother and daughter said: "we love them all. How can we repay them for their kindness to us?"

The pretty co-ed is very popular at her school. She is a member of the NDCC, Cotillion and Double-10 club, National Honor Society. She is also a pianist for the Sunday School and Baptist Training Union at St. Paul Baptist church, where she is a member.

Very talented, she sings very well. She had been offered scholarships by three colleges. However, she had been accepted by Fisk university for the fall term.

Miss Purnell, an only child, said that her father helped

her to collect votes to win. He is Shelby Purnell of the same address.

The winner will be crowned during a ball next month, at which time she will be presented with the grand prizes, which will include a trip to Chicago where she will meet world famous persons during a royal tour.

First alternate is Miss Earlie Mae Biles, 16, a junior at Mt. Pisgah high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lee Biles of 7259 Bridgewater Rd.

Second alternate is Miss Carolyn Randle, 19, a freshman at Henderson Business college. She is the daughter of Elder and Mrs. C. L. Randle of 2757 Select Ave.

Third alternate is Miss Katherine Ann Woods, 16, a junior at Melrose high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods, 2766 Enterprise Ave.

The final standings of the first four contestants are: Miss Shirley Purnell . . . 32,505 Miss Earlie Mae Biles . . . 24,020 Miss Carolyn Randle . . . 23,015 Miss Katherine Woods . . . 9,800



LOOKING OVER THE "Teaching Career" Proclamation issued by Mayor Henry Loeb are: Left-right: Nat D. Williams, Mrs. Mary Collier, and Mrs. Rubye Spight. (Staff Photo by Withers).

Mayor Backs 'Teaching Career'

Mayor Henry Loeb endorsed "Teaching Career Month" by issuing a proclamation last week. The proclamation stated in full:

"Whereas, the month of April has been designated as Teaching Career Month; and whereas, teaching is one of the pre-eminent professions in American life; and Whereas, members of the teaching profession are charged with one opening our future citizens; Now

Install Officers

The Associated Clubs, Inc., plan to hold installation of officers Sunday, April 21 at the Foote Homes auditorium. Speakers will include Nat D. Williams, Hosea Bridges and Charles W. Westbrooks.

The organization consists of four clubs: Men of Society, Artists And Models, 20th Century Club and the Trapeze Social club. President is Willie Johnson. The secretary is Miss Olla J. Dixon.



IN EASTER FINERY — Little Eric Strickland, two, seems to be describing the Easter bunny to two of his small playmates, Avis Buford, four, at left, and her young sister, Andrea, four, on last Sunday afternoon. The lad making the gestures is the grandson of

A. C. "Moohah" Williams and the son of Mrs. Joan Strickland of 861 S. Lauderdale. The girls are the daughters of Mrs. Maxine Buford of 832 Whitford. (Mark Stansbury Photo).

Three National Organizations To Hold Conference On Racial Bias In This Country's Hospitals

NEW YORK — A major assault on racial bias in the nation's hospitals has been planned by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, the National Urban League, and the National Medical Association in a two-day conference in Atlanta, Ga., on May 17-18.

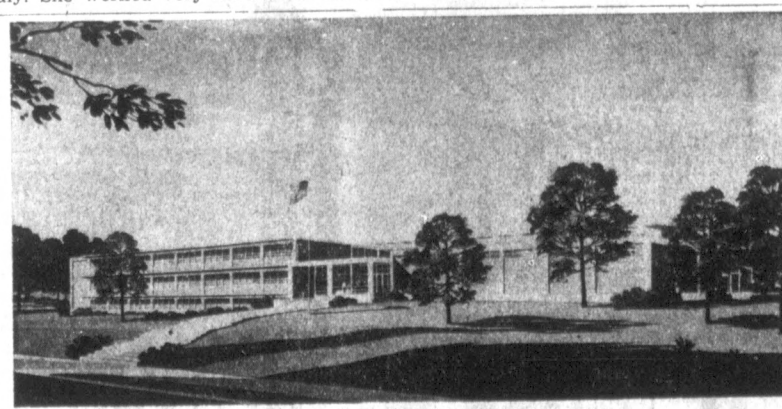
Spearheaded by Roy Wilkins, NAACP executive secretary, Whitney Young, national director of the National Urban League, and Dr. John A. Kenney, Jr., NMA president, the conference will bring together leaders from civic groups, professional hospital organizations, and federal agencies. Professor W. Montague Cobb of the Howard University Medical School in Washington, D. C., founder of the conference in 1957, is chairman of its executive committee. Dr. Emory L. Rann of Charlotte, N. C., is chairman of the conference.

"This is not an initial operation on patient Jim Crow," said Dr. Cobb today in announcing the seventh annual national conference, "but it will be a major operation designed to remove the cancer of race discrimination from public and private hospitals throughout the nation."

In addition to officials from hospital groups and the government, the Conference program will include representatives from national Negro religious, civic, and professional organizations.

The site of the Conference in Atlanta and the program will be announced shortly. In an effort to obtain a broad representative participation at the sessions, the conference sponsors invite all interested organizations to join.

For additional conference information, interested persons should communicate with Hospital Conference, 1219 Girard Street, N. W., Washington 9, D. C.



CUMMINGS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Cummings Dedicates New Building

The dedicatory service for Cummings Elementary School's new building was held recently in the school's new cafeteria.

The program was witnessed by supervisors, principals, teachers, patrons and friends. The program consisted of three speakers, introduced by Mrs. Helen M. Hooks, principal of Cummings Elementary school.

The first speaker was F. E. Oswalt, who spoke on "School Housing." He discussed the new building and the function of each room.

The second speaker was Henry A. Sanford, who represented the Office of Sanford and Ellis Architects. Sanford briefly discussed "The Architectural Solution."

The third speaker was E. C. Stimbert, superintendent of Memphis City Schools. Stimbert's speech was centered around the child. He won the hearts of all the patrons, teachers and friends when he asked a first grader to come to the stage and then addressed his audience, saying, "Upon this child I will base my speech. My concern and only concern is upon this child, its security, welfare and educational needs."

Stimbert emphasized the

role of the home as a factor in the total development of the child when he stated that the parents should be concerned about where they placed their values; whether on the child or more on material things.

He also stated that teachers should inspire new concepts and motivations for children in their first year so learning will become a part of them. He further stated that teachers should not only know their subject matter, but they should love and try to understand each child.

At the close of the program the audience toured the buildings and observed some of the classwork of the students.



JERSEY JOE WALCOTT is being congratulated (for setting two records in Memphis) by John Regus, Memphis promoter of wrestling. Jersey Joe was the first Negro to engage in a public mix-match — boxing-wrestling — in Memphis. He is the first Negro to box a wrestler. This took place at the City Auditorium Monday night. Walcott said "I took Lou Thesz (the wrestler) on, because he challenged any former World Heavyweight Champion. All of the other living champions refused to engage in the match. He is one of the world's greatest wrestlers and I am still a pretty good boxer." Promoter Regus said: "I am happy that this particular match took place here in Memphis for more than one reason. It was a privilege to associate with Jersey Joe in this endeavor."

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AMATEUR NIGHT WEDNESDAY!

Two Employed By Housing Authority

Two women who are known for their civic and political work, were employed as Home Visitors by the Memphis Metropolitan Housing authority earlier this week, it was learned.

The women are Mrs. Ethel Lenoir, 1288 Gill Ave., and Mrs. Alice Sandridge, 2167 Chelsea Ave. Mrs. Lenoir was formerly employed at Goldsmith's and Mrs. Sandridge was formerly employed by the Friendly Cab company. Both are members of the Ninth Congressional District Chapter of the Tennessee Federation of Democratic Leagues. Mrs. Lenoir is assistant secretary and Mrs. Sandridge is a member of the executive board.

TFDL To Meet

The Ninth Congressional District Chapter of Tennessee Federation of Democratic Leagues has planned to hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday, April 18 at 8 p.m. at Universal Life Insurance building, 480 Lilden Ave. Page 1

Visits Here

Clarence Williams, formerly of Memphis and graduate of Booker T. Washington, is here from Los Angeles, Cal., visiting his family for a month. His father is Hoyle Williams, 1570 Latham St., and his father Jerry D. Williams, 1516 Haneur St. Williams is also accompanied by daughter, Helen, 5.

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WAITING TO REGISTER TO VOTE

Kingtree, S. C.—Frank Robinson (right), CORE field secretary, is shown during mass stand-ins conducted at registrar's office of Williamsburg (S.C.) County. More than 200 Negroes attempting to register stayed at the office from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. On March 4th only 14 Negroes were registered to vote

out of a total of 138 who tried. It took an hour and 10 minutes just to process one person. According to Robinson, "We plan even bigger stand-ins and additional protest action until this deliberate slowdown on the registration process is ended and normal procedures are adopted."



JACKSON TEACHER'S OFFICERS

Installation services for officers of the Jackson City Teachers' Association were held recently during a dinner meeting at Washington-Douglas school, and here the officers are seen at the recent celebration. From left are Mrs. Vera Brooks, alternate delegate to the NEA; Miss Jessie L. Brooks, supervisor of instruction; S. H. Bronaugh, business manager of Lane college, who installed officers; J. H. Werthing, in-coming president of

JCTA; Mrs. M. F. Stone, outgoing president; Mrs. O. C. Beck, chaplain; O. C. Cole, parliamentarian; and Mrs. B. H. Collins, treasurer. Not pictured are M. B. Monroe, vice-president, and Mrs. W. G. Stewart, Werthing, science instructor at Merry High school, has a master's degree from Indiana university and studied at Tuskegee last year under a National Science Foundation grant. He will represent JCTA at the NEA meeting in July.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Gailey, 274 Edsel; girl, Lois LaJuan.
March 27.
Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins, 2154 Eldridge; boy, Alex Wayne.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jennings, 295 Peebles rd.; boy, Tony Roche.
March 29.
Mr. and Mrs. Rosevon Byrd, 1149 Ryder; boy, Marvin LeShun.
Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Thompson, 1336 Gleason; girl, Ola Jean.
March 30.
Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Smith, 672 Mosby; girl, Renae DeWayne.
Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Wiggins, 1512 Latham; a boy.
March 31.
Mr. and Mrs. James H. Barnes, 1281 Worthington; twin girls: Arvis Suzanne and Avis Suzette.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lee Pinson, 357 Boyd; girl, Penny Yurral.
April 1.
Mr. and Mrs. Milton Greenlee, 1830 Kerr; boy, Eric Raynard.
April 2.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dotson, 1043 Tupelo; boy, Cortrell Raynard.
April 3.
Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Porter, 1897 Keltner Cl.; girl, Shell.
April 4.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carr, 2001 Carver, Apt. 8; boy, Cedric Shontee.
Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Hamilton, 1577 Cella; twin girls: Marlene Cordette and Marilyn Cordene.
Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hightower, 1718 Alcy; boy, Franchot Gardell.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson, 1528 Whitmore; girl, Linda Gay.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Joe Lewis, 1145 Volentine, Apt. 1; boy, Lonnie Michael.
AT JOHN GASTON HOSPITAL:
April 6.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Scott, 1335 Kentucky; boy, Michael Anthony.
Mr. and Mrs. Amos Anderson, 1140 Grant; girl, Lesia Diane.
Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson Massey, 558 Williams; boy, Wilmon LaSherman.
April 7.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Brown, 1423 N. Bellevue; boy, Leonard.
Mr. and Mrs. George L. Buckley, 278 Maryland; boy, Mark Eugene.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Hopson, 577 Jessamine; boy, Ronald Earl.
Mr. and Mrs. Elijah L. Johnson, 1278 Empire; girl, Joyce Ann.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Harris, 1473 Hyde Park; boy, Roger Lee.
April 8.
Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hudson, 325 Simpson; boy, Robert Lee.
Mr. and Mrs. Galvester Franklin, 1102 Beach; girl, LeCalvette.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bolton, 1122 College; girl, Robin Lynne.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Wadlington, 1423 College; boy, Howard Etha Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Anderson, 365 S. Lauderdale; boy, Terry Lee.
Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Boone, 1873 Person; girl, Regina.
April 9.
Mr. and Mrs. Mamon Jackson, 905 Alaska; boy, Joe E.
Mr. and Mrs. Booker T. Morgan, 1558 Ash; boy, James Earl.
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby B. Harris, 291 Decatur; girl, Rhonda Michelle.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, 712 Regent; girl, Renee.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. D. Yancey, 1512 Riverside; boy, Tony Jay.
Mr. and Mrs. Dave R. Jones, 1209 Marble; girl, Gwendolyn Yvette.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie L. Warford, 1180 Florida; boy, Antonio Hosea.
Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Cox, 973 Randle; girl, Linda Faye.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brooks, 379 Scott; boy, Charles Elliott Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Campbell, 283 Dixie Mall; boy, Kenneth Wayne.
April 10.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ferguson, 1378 Michigan; girl, Avis Yvette.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Bell, 780 Kerr; boy, Robert Earl Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Bragg Powell, 400 E. Trigg; boy, Anthony Bernard.
Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Jackson, 1176 Merchant; girl, Lori Lucendia.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hill, 1460 Roberts; boy, William Earl.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis, 1130 University, Apt. 10; girl, Inell.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, 1811 S. Wellington; girl, Shirley Ann.
Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Cole, 1603 Orr; girl, Sharon Denise.
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy D. Bowie, 1185 N. Bellevue; boy, Tommy Dean Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, 298 Walker; boy, Darron DeShay.
April 11.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pittman, 609 N. Fifth; girl, Kay Frances.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phillips, 811 Boston; boy, Charles.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Phillips, 5340 Norma dr.; girl, Shesta Ann.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, 409 F. S. Wellington; girl, Mittie Ruth.
Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Myles, 533 E. Trigg; girl, Sheryl Candis.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Redd, 1146 Volentine; girl, Quala Diana.
Mr. and Mrs. Elhine Stanhack, 1813 Airways blvd.; boy, Anthony.
April 12.
Mr. and Mrs. William J. Riddle, 1472 N. Apple; boy, William James.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond C. Spencer, 1212 Smith; girl, Deborah Lynne.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie D. Butler, 2437 Corry; boy, Terry LeToy.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerv E. Smith, 1566 Dianne cl.; girl, Beverly Gail.
Mr. and Mrs. Tommie L. Street, 1574 Miller; boy, Tommy Lee.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Morris, 1404 Doris; girl, Delois Ann.
Mr. and Mrs. William Dungan, 286 Bullington; boy, Benjamin Clay.
Mr. and Mrs. Elton N. Johnson, 2701 Harrison; girl, Bridgette Rochelle.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ferby, 1431 Oriole; boy, Michael Anthony.
Mr. and Mrs. Osbv Lester, 872 McComb; girl, Priscilla.

Promoters Starts Bowling League

The Promoters' opened its bowling league with 20 teams last week. This is believed to be the biggest league at Roll-away Lanes. Isaac Young, business manager of the Promoters said that "more than 34 teams are expected to join the league. He added "Southern Educators, Inc. will supply shirts for two of the teams as well as give a \$259 set of encyclopedias, according to a report of Jeff Smythe, vice president of the Southern Educators, Inc.

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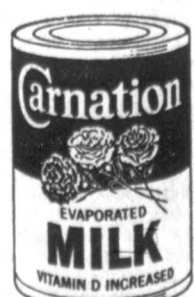
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Orange Mound Day Nursery's Parade
Among the many Easter Parades was the parade put on by the Orange Mound Day Nursery for its 23 youngsters. The youngsters marched down Park ave., last Friday morning, carrying their colorful baskets of Easter eggs and bunnies. Mrs. Dorothy Clark, who is acting director of the nursery, was in charge of the annual parade. Mrs. Mozella Franklin, 2572 Supreme ave., director of the nursery, is ill.



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Stillman College Players To Stage 'Purlie Victorious'

Stillman College's Thespians expect to be presented Saturday May 4, at Bruce Hall, Le-Moyne College, in their hilarious production of Ossie Davis' "Purlie Victorious." The comedy-fantasy was one of last season's top Broadway successes and has just been released for amateur presentations.

Purlie Victorious is the self-made minister who comes back to his cotton plantation shack with a plan to swindle the "boss-man" out of \$500 to buy back an old barn so that he can open a church. It is in the lines themselves, that playwright Davis has succeeded in creating uproariously funny scenes.

Playing the leading role of Purlie will be Nathaniel Cash who last year distinguished himself as Walter Younger in the Thespians production of "Raisin in the Sun." Other members of the interracial cast include Erma Bennett, Zephyr Thomas, Wesley Lollar, Ethel White and Roy Harris. Three Stillman College faculty members complete the cast. Rev. Davis Yeuell, College Chaplain, plays the major role of the "boss man," Ol' Cap'n. James Ackerman and Dr. William Venable are seen as the sheriff and his deputy. The production is under the direction of Bill Fegan, director of drama on the Stillman campus, and former professional actor-producer and director.

The performance of "Purlie Victorious" here is sponsored by the Memphis Chapter of Stillman College Alumni association. For information on tickets call 278-0284 before 3 p.m. and 278-7751 after 4 p.m. Rowan Miller is president of the local association.

Girl Scouts To Hold 2 Camps

The Teen-Ark-Miss Girls Scout Council is accepting registrations for its "established" and Day Camps.

The "established" camp is scheduled to be held at Camp Tapawingo, located near Como, Miss. in two sessions (a session being 13 days): June 16-29 and June 30-July 13. The wooded ridges offer an ideal setting for adventurous, exciting camping.

Campers will live in troop size units of 20 each with three staff members in each unit. The camp is composed of one cabin unit and one tent unit for more experienced campers. The tents also house four girls each and are well constructed with wooden floors.

Mrs. Vander Washington, 3805 Horn Lake Road, will be the camp director, she recently returned from training at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Girls who have completed the third grade and others may register. They do not have to be a Girl Scout to go to the camp.

The Day Camp for Tawasi District will be held at Fuller State Park on July 8 - 13.

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MEMPHIANS IN AFRICA

A recent visitor to Ibadan, Nigeria, West Africa, was Gov. G. Mennen Williams, now Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs, and here he is seen posing with Mr. and Mrs.

William Jones. Gov. Williams had just addressed the students of University college in Ibadan on "America's Foreign Policy Toward Africa."

Ex-Librarian Reports On Work In Nigeria

Introducing outstanding American visitors to top Nigerian government officials is one of the jobs of William E. Jones, Owen college librarian now on leave and serving with the United States Information Service in Ibadan, Nigeria, in West Africa.

Jones, who left the U. S. for Africa during the latter part of 1962, made a report to Dr. Charles L. Dinkins, in a recent letter to the Owen college president.

He wrote: "My family and I are doing nicely here. Our car arrived in good shape and in a few days our households goods should be here. The boat carrying them just arrived from the States."

RECENT VISITOR

One of the more recent visitors to Ibadan whom Jones had an opportunity to welcome to Nigeria was former Michigan Governor E. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs, who was there to speak to the students of University College on the subject: "America's Foreign Policy Toward Africa."

Jones has appeared on a television show and recently reviewed two books by Ameri-

can authors.

During the first week in April, Jones began a 26-week radio show featuring the music of Negro college choirs.

GOOD HEALTH

Jones reported that he and his family are enjoying "surprisingly good health as compared with many Americans here. This area was once called 'the white man's grave,' and it is not too far different today."

With Jones in Ibadan are his wife, the former Miss Ann-drewnetta Hawkins, a registered medical technologist, and their two children, William Jr. and Renee.

Mrs. Jones was a medical technologist at E. H. Crump Memorial hospital for several years and had joined the staff of Medical Associates Clinic before her husband was appointed to the USIS.

Fashion Show At Princeton Church

A fashion show, entitled "An Evening With Fashions," has been planned by a group of Princeton Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church members for Sunday, April 28, at 3 p.m. The church is located at 2260 Eldridge st.

Models will include Gracie Hardy, Arrilla Miller, Beverly Braswell, two mother-daughter teams including Mrs. Ella Mathis and Mrs. Angela Pryor with their daughters; and Miss Lillie Wesson. Hats will be modeled by Mrs. Eunice Caruthers, Mrs. Amelia Malone and Miss Lillie Wesson.

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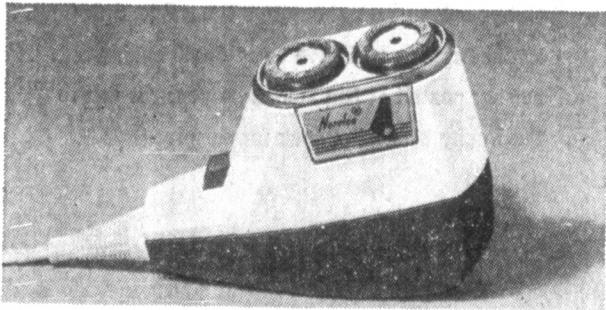
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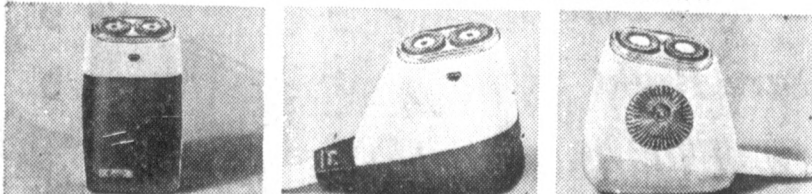
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WINNING COWBOYS AND GIRLS of this year's annual Bar J. C. Roundup which was sponsored recently by the Negro Junior Chamber of Commerce, were photographed during the charity dance. Prizes were given for the best-

dressed cowboys and girls. Above are, Melvin Adams, James Carter, Lanetha Branch, Marion Peets, Charles Jarrett and Daisy Paige. Curtis Garrett was chairman of the dance.

Left Side

DOWN FRONT!

A SUPERMARKET on Vance during funerals. He also refers to the cemetery as "my cemetery." has caused some of its to the cemetery as "my cemetery."

ages of garlic coming out of LOT OF LOCAL postal work. Mississippi wrapped in a pack- rs are "shook-up" because the man got very angry. He threatened to hit her. She knocked him out with a cane-bottom chair. He called the police to have her arrested. Both ended up in the jug.

REPORTS ARE that an assistant superintendent at the National Cemetery has little - if any respect for bereaved families of veterans during funerals at the cemetery. Several complaints have been made concerning the assistant superintendent's unbecoming conduct.

We are told that the survey- in an auto accident. He broke boys will be here a total of six his teeth, cut his lip.

THE WOMAN WON the money at the poker game. The man got very angry. He threatened to hit her. She knocked him out with a cane-bottom chair. He called the police to have her arrested. Both ended up in the jug.

JERSEY JOE WALCOTT does not appear to have grown any older than he was when he was the world's heavyweight champ. You know about the boxing-wrestling bout he had here with Lou Thesz.

JIMMY WALKER, known in political rings, got banged up

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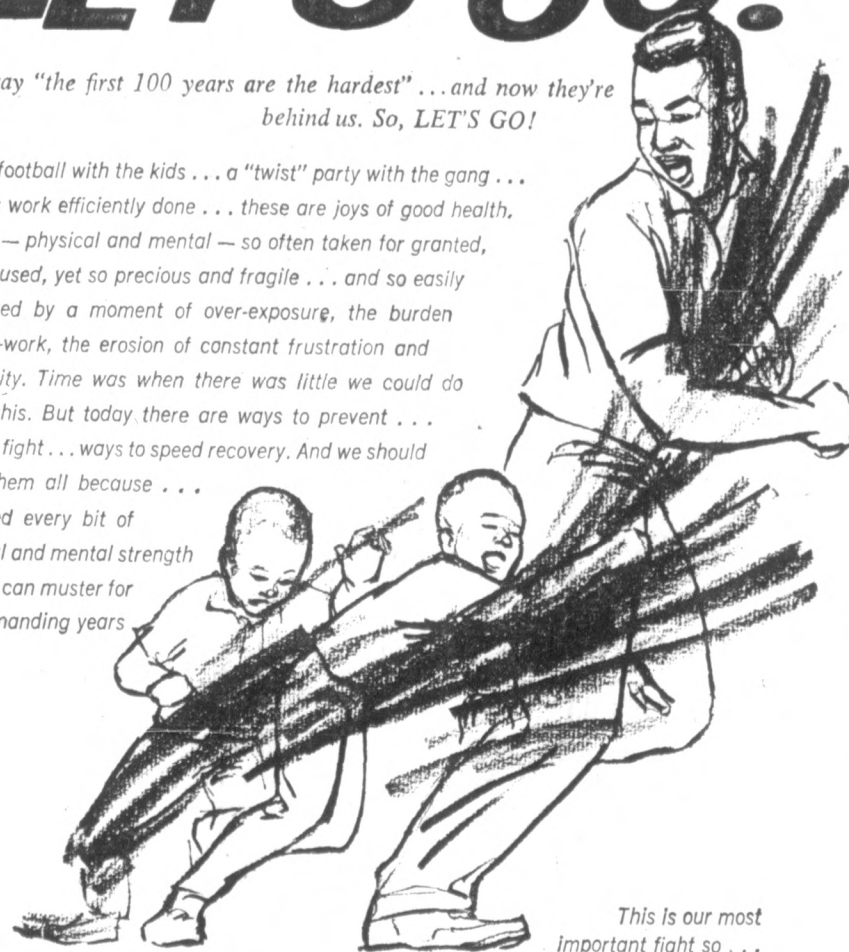


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SEASON OF NEWNESS

This week the world wakes to a new awareness. Men's faces take on a new glow. The grasses growing, the trees blooming till the whole world that something new is a stir. Men who have been burdened with the cares of winter now look forth to new hope. The hour of beginning again has arrived. Men can take a break in the threads of unrealized dreams and start anew. But not only is there a physical awareness, but this is a spiritual awakening. It is at this time that the world's spiritual awakening. It is at this time that the world's spiritual awakening. It is at this time that the world's spiritual awakening.

The man who had been harassed by His enemies and finally put to death on the cross has now risen. Contrary to the hopes of His enemies they had not done away with the greatest threat of their day. These enemies of Jesus were now rejoicing that they had done away with Him. As far as they were concerned He would no longer be the threat to their security. But they, like many people today, found no secure place to put Him.

TWO GROUPS
This season divides the world into two opposing camps — those who thought that they had gotten rid of Jesus and those who realized a new hope through His resurrection. It is through the endless efforts of this latter group that the world has moved on. Men of despair and short on hope have lived now to see this hope revitalized and have been able

to pass this new hope on to their sons and daughters throughout the ages. The glow which has been a part of their lives has been passed on generation to generation. When life becomes darkest they have always been able to look to this day to gain new hope.

One of the greatest tragedies of that day or even today would have marked a great victory for His enemies. But the countless number of people who had placed their all in the hands of Jesus could now rejoice and recommit themselves with the assurance that there was and is a chance of better days for them.

In spite of all the adversities in life, the unfortunate and disinherited can take on new hope through the life of Jesus. This is not something that has happened two thousand years ago but it is equally as valid today.

'GREAT BENEFACTOR'
At the foot of the cross of Jesus were many who had remembered Him as a great benefactor. Not only had they personally been beneficiaries of Jesus' love and kindness but they had countless friends and relatives who also could attest to the fact that Jesus was the Christ.

For Jesus to have died and remained so would have destroyed all the hopes of these people but He arose. The placing of His body in the tomb, the Roman seal, and the Roman guard meant nothing to Him when an awareness of His mission was foremost in His mind.

Down early on the Sabbath morning to anoint His body were people who started when they found His body gone. Many people today are equally startled when they awake to learn that Jesus is not where they have placed Him. We come with our empty phrases to pay our final tribute of respect to Him only to learn that He is not there.

In the same token of thinking today testimonies of those who really know Jesus tell us that He is not there. Countless numbers of people today who have defied medical science and kept on living in spite of the mandates of the greatest medical minds surely tell us that something over and beyond the human side of man bespeaks their living today.

The challenge of this Easter season is that those of us who have so nobly benefited from the love and mercy of Jesus should say to all that we still have the faith in Him, that He is able to bring this world and its people to the ideal state where through His love we will all rid ourselves of our individual differences and live within a great framework of brotherhood, that will bring about his kingdom on earth. Men will know hopelessness, fear, want and evil no more but through a never-ending faith in Him will be able to rejoice as those men on that great Easter morning.



WITH SOUTHERN EDUCATORS — Rev. N. A. Crawford, at right, is seen receiving oath of office as national field director of Southern Educators, Inc. from Jeff Smythe, vice president and national sales director of the firm. Looking on center, is J. Thomas Brackett, national public relations director. Rev. Crawford will operate from an office at 311 S. Fourth St. and is seeking qualified personnel to sell the educational material.

St. Louis Ushers Chorus Comes Here

The Ushers Chorus of St. Louis, Mo., is expected to come here to participate in the sixth annual National United Church Ushers Association of America, at Mt. Zion Baptist church, 1427 S. Main st., starting at 3 p. m.

Host of the program is the Ushers Federation of Memphis. R. E. Harshaw, Jr., of Memphis, is president of the national organization.

Missionary Society To Give Spring Tea

A tea has been planned by the Emma F. Johnson Missionary Society of Mt. Zion A.M.E. church, for Sunday, April 21, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carey Walthall, 163 Rowe ave., from 4 to 6 p. m. Mrs. Eula Fisher is president of the society. Rev. Mark L. Young is the pastor.

13-Day Revival

A 13-day revival got underway at First Baptist Church, 500 N. Fourth st., on Easter Sunday. It will continue April 26. The featured evangelist is Rev. J. N. Lightfoot of Waukegan, Ill. Rev. P. L. Rowe is the pastor of the church.

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Mood Ensemble To Observe Anniver.

The fourth anniversary of the Moody Ensemble is set for Sunday, April 21 at Keel Avenue Baptist church, 778 N. Bellevue at 3 p. m., announces the president, Mrs. Lottie Wooten. A number of choirs and other singing groups have been asked to participate.

Returns Home After Week-Long Revival

Rev. E. L. McKinney, pastor of Pleasant Green Baptist church here in Memphis, returned home after conducting a week-long revival at a Baptist church in Chattanooga. He is also pastor of Bush Grove Baptist church in Burnsville.

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Seven Ministers Speak At Good Friday Service

Seven ministers gave meditations on the "Seven Last Utterances of Our Lord From the Cross" during a three-hour service held at St. Andrew A.M.E. church at 867 S. Parkway east on Good Friday, April 12. The ministers were the Revs. W. L. Varnado, pastor emeritus of Cummings Street Baptist church; E. Paul Beavers, pastor of Providence A.M.E. church; C. M. Pickler, Boulevard Baptist; Lawrence Haygood, Parkway Gardens Presbyterian; Fred Lofton, dean of chapel, Owen college; C. C. Richardson, Shorter Chapel A.M.E. church, Paris, Ky.; and Rev. Peter G. Crawford.

Avery Chapel To Sponsor Dinner

A musicale - benefit dinner will be presented by Avery Chapel A.M.E. church in the dining room of Universal Life Insurance company on Sunday, May 5, and reservations are now being accepted.

Avery Chapel, celebrating its Centennial Year, is located at the corner of Neptune and East Trigg ave. Dr. Peter G. Crawford is pastor of the church.

Two soloists, Lee Cunningham and Miss Glenda Fay Harvey, assisted the St. Andrew choir. Rev. Elmer M. Martin, pastor of the church, presided at the Good Friday service. A seafood dinner was served in the church dining room following the service.

Gator Alarm

ST. IVES, England — UPI — Police were called out to find 17 alligators that fell off a passing truck the Day before.

Extend Home-Bias Ban, N.Y. Lawyers Ask JFK

NEW YORK — (UPI) — the New York County Lawyers' Association headed by Whitney North Seymour, Jr., who has been chairman of various New York state investigative committees, also said the order should apply to federally-aided housing after it was sold or leased.

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Religious Leaders To Discuss Race At Conference

WASHINGTON — Religious leaders of different faiths will take part in the convention of the National Council of Catholic Bishops April 24-28 in Atlantic City.

Rev. Arthur Walmsley, executive secretary of the Christian Social Relations National Council of Protestant Episcopal Churches, will speak at two sessions.

Rev. Galen Weaver, executive secretary of the National Conference on Religion and Race, and Jules Cohen, executive director of the Jewish Community Relations Council of Greater Philadelphia, will participate in seminars.

Rev. Walmsley will address seminars on "Catholic Influence on Racial Barriers" and "The Social Apostolate: Witnessing the Church to the American Negro." Rev. Weaver also will join in the former.

The topic of the seminar in which Cohen is a speaker is "Sunday Observance in a Pluralistic Society."

Theme of the convention is "The Layman in an Age of Christian Renewal." Hosts are Archbishop Thomas A. Boland of Newark and the bishops of Trenton, Camden and Paterson, N. J.

Gospel Train To Come Here Apr. 28

The "Gospel Train" featuring such singing groups as "The Caravans" and "Soul Stirrers," is scheduled to present a musical program at Mason Temple, Sunday, April 28, starting at 8 p. m.

Other well known singing groups will include "Mighty Clouds" and the Blind Boys Swannee Quintette, announced "Bless My Bones" Wade.

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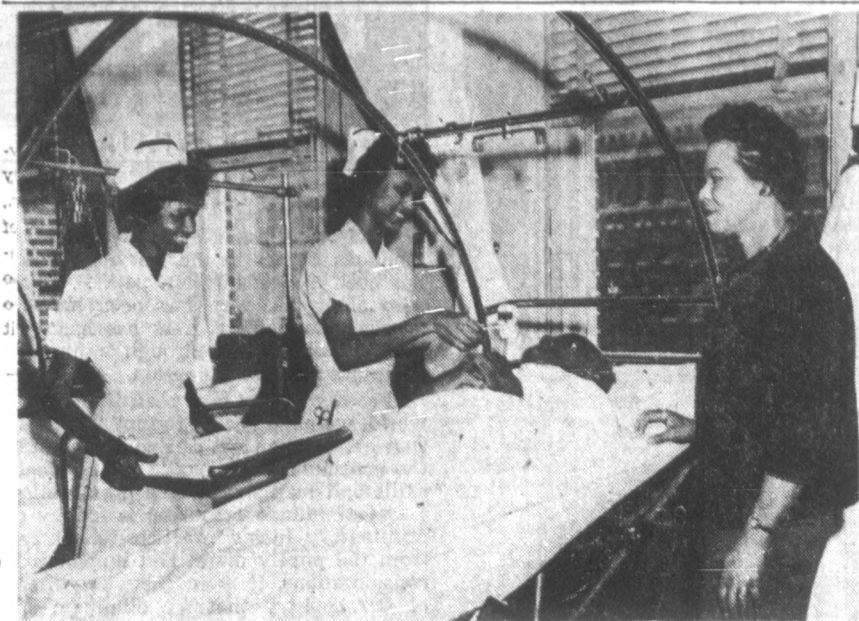
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SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS — Two student nurses at the City of Memphis Hospital School of Nursing, Miss Sarah Scott, left, and Miss Carolyn Simmons, were given scholarships recently by the Bluff City Medical Auxiliary, and watching the students as they wait on a patient at John Gaston hospital is Mrs. Leland Atkins, BCMA's scholarship chairman. Miss Scott expects to be graduated in 1963, while Miss Simmons, the recipient of a BCMA scholarship since her freshman year, will be graduated in 1964. Funds for the

scholarship were raised at the Auxiliary's annual benefit card party. Officers and members of the Auxiliary are Mrs. N. M. Watson, president; Mrs. T. H. Watkins, vice president; Mrs. G. W. Stanley Ish, Jr., secretary; Mrs. C. M. Roulhac, treasurer; Mrs. R. L. Adams, Mrs. W. A. Bisson, Mrs. James S. Byas, Mrs. R. L. Flagg, Mrs. L. C. Fowlkes, Mrs. Arthur E. Horne, Mrs. E. M. Reed, Mrs. A. Ross, Mrs. A. F. Saville, Mrs. J. H. Seward, Mrs. W. O. Speight, Jr., and Mrs. W. O. Speight, Sr. (Hooks Photo).

MANASSAS HI NEWS

By COBY SMITH AND BARBARA DUNCAN
Hi! guys and dolls this is your guest reporter Evon Y. Brown bringing you the latest news the way you want it.

SPOTLIGHT

This week the mighty beams of the spotlight shine on Adell Eddie Smith. Adell resides with his mother, Mrs. Annie B. Smith, at 479 N. Fifth st.

In religious life Adell is a member of the First Baptist Church where he sings with the Youth Choir.

Around the campus he is a member of the 12-4 homeroom, vice president of the senior class, business manager of the Physics club, a member of the French club, NDCC monitor and cadet captain, president of the Ole Timers Social Club, and a member of the track team.

After completion of high school, Adell plans to attend

Memphis State University and major in Engineering.

A twenty-one gun salute to this fine Manassasite.

JUST TALK

Loretta Shores has eyes for Lewis Bingham.

Lavern Bonner no longer has her mind at Morehouse but at Hamilton.

Thelma Phillips will make a good news reporter.

Wesley Mitchell has an admirer in his sixth period class.

Gwendolyn Seward is keeping a big secret about that certain fellow. (I wonder what).

Velma Cannon was seen making the scene on the stage.

Mae Brewer and Ruby Smith are very talkative these days.

Look out boys, the junior and senior girls are looking for prom dates. The girls have succeeded in holding the cafeteria line. Ellis Maupin is robbing the cradle of Violetta Franklin.

MT. PISGAH NEWS

By WILLIE MAE JOHNSON and BARBARA FINLEY

CAREER WEEK

April 1, started the seven-day Career week. The program was presented by the Junior High school. The purpose of Career Week was given by Mrs. O. Tate, our counselor. Connie J. Walton sang a solo. The guest speaker was welcomed by Reda Grandberry, and introduced by Henry Thomas.

The speaker was Mrs. Ozeana Glass, a graduate of the Greater Mt. Pisgah High, now a registered nurse at Le Bonheur Children Hospital in Memphis. Mr. Rogers and Mrs. Massey were the sponsors.

April 2, the English and foreign language department was in charge. The program was as follows: Mrs. Massey sang a solo, Mrs. Tate presented the welcome, Mrs. Carnes introduced the guest speakers, Mrs. M. Wakefield, foreign language teacher at Geeter High school, and Dr. Ralph Johnson of LeMoyné college.

The sponsors of this program were Mrs. L. Seibert, Mrs. Umble, Mrs. M. Brinkley and Mrs. L. Carnes.

April 3, the social studies, business and industrial arts departments were in charge. Scherezade Jones made the introductory remarks. Elizabeth Wilson sang three solos. Earlie Mae Biles welcomed the guest speaker and Veris Watkins introduced him. He

was John Cook, professor of history at LeMoyné college. The sponsors were Mrs. D. V. Holmes, A. Johnson and E. Barnett.

April 4, the Mathematics and science departments were in charge. Miltonette Brinkley introduced the program, Harry Harrison introduced the guest speaker. But the guest was unable to be there so he sent a substitute. Frankette Guinn and Eula Buford gave some advantages of careers in Science and Mathematics. Skits were done by the math. and science teachers, who were also the sponsors, F. Turner, Mrs. J. Owens, C. P. Boyd and Bruce White.

April 5, the Home Economics and Agriculture Departments were the sponsors. The purpose of the program was told by Mrs. A. Lofties. The sophomore home economics girls presented a fashion show, modeling garments they had made in class. Eula Buford was narrator. The speakers for this program were the home economics teachers, Miss Barbara Jean Anderson and Mrs. A. Lofties, and our own agriculture teachers E. Barbara and Horace, Peggie A. Cole and V. L. Jones. The Career Week theme was



LIBRARY TO CELEBRATE — The North Memphis branch of the Memphis Public Library will be among the thousands of libraries in the United States observing National Library Week from April 21-27, and seen receiving books from two of the more than 200 children a day who come into the North Memphis branch at 1192 Vollentine

ave. is Mrs. Thelma H. McKissack, the librarian. New books will be displayed at all libraries and book marks printed for the occasion will be circulated. A special feature of the observance at North Branch will be "Story Hour" on Friday, April 26 at 4 p.m. with Mrs. J. LaRosa Greene as storyteller. (Photo by M. L. Reid).

LESTER NEWS

By FAYE WARD and LORETTA CASON

THE WAY THINGS SEEM:

Jeanette Greene and C. W. Sanders are into something big (I wonder what).

Benny Price the word is out that you and Barbara Lewis are trying to make it.

Valeria Walls, what is it between you and Albert Walker?

Ronald Taylor has his eyes on a certain sophomore at Melrose.

Rosetta McKinney, what did you do with K.P. while A.J. was here?

Quincy McDonald's heart belongs to Charles Greene.

"CHOOSING A CAREER IN A CHANGING WORLD."

TOP COUPLES: Earl Brooks and Marie Branch; Catherine Chaffin and James Cash; Willie Nesby and Annie Pinson; James Jackson and Lucille Cunningham; Willie Mae and Ike, Barbara and Horace, Peggie and Sam, Rosie and James Westbrook.

(What happened to R.R.).

John Frank I hear that you really have a hold on Carol Morris.

Why is it that so many girls from Lester and other schools are so crazy about a certain senior at Melrose (namely James Sandridge).

Is it true that John Jordan and Della Suggs are washed up for good.

Lenora Brinson, are you and Bobby Smith's love affair a one-sided or a triangle?

I hear that Carol Dotson and Pearl Sutton have Fan Clubs.

Christine Adair how are you and Robert Sims making it.

Charles Wright I hear there is a certain freshman that is deeply in love with you. (What about this Margie).

James Nave, whose heart are you wrecking?

Ernestine Cage, is it true you and C. W. Sanders have made a comeback.

Stoney Willette is telling Gwendolyn Porter just as I thought.

Ophelia Lowe who is this

certain guy you're keeping a secret. Is it R. T.?

Richard Jones are you still making time with Claudette Tucker.

Larry Miller how are you doing with putting HOMP-ING on girls mind.

Charles Bowers who is this certain girl you admire on the campus F. W. or O. L.

TOP COUPLES: Charles Bowers and Forrestine Ivory.

Richard Jones and Claudette Tucker.

Willie Jones and Estella Harris.

Bobby Smith and Lenora Brinson.

Miles Simmons and Faye Ward.

Benny Price and Barbara Lewis.

Bid Harris and Carolyn Lewis.

Albert Walker and Valeria Walls.

Azell Smith and Mary Hill.

TOP FOURTEEN Janie Harley, Sandra Willis, Mary Hill, Eunice Logan, Charles Paulk, Charles Logan, Truman Dailey, James Nave, Ernestine Cage, Maxine Bromley, Ernestine Anthony, Thomas Bethany, Azell Smith, Carl Campbell.

BTW SCHOOL NOTES

By JOSEPH YOUNG

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The speech department of B. T. Washington High school will present a three act play entitled "Bull in a China Shop." The members of the cast are Jewel Fields, Beverly Jeffrey, Jannit Miller, Marior Brewer, Minnie Greer, Carrie Peoples, Herbert Bernard, Hamilton Smith, Priscilla Nellum, and Jewel Fields, Student Director. The admission is 25 cents. The date is during the week of May 13. The exact date will be announced later.

SPOTLIGHT

This week the green and gold spotlight gleams on Miss Vera Ollie, who resides at 717 Lucy with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. Ollie. In religious life she is a member of the Progressive Baptist church. Around the campus she is a member of the 12-12 homeroom where Mrs. White is the instructor.

On campus she is captain of the pep squad and a member of the dramatics club and the Spanish club. Off campus she is a member of the Bondards Social Club.

ON THE SCENE

Alice Smith is it true that you have a crush on a certain boy at Hamilton? Dorothy Saulsberry and Orlando Harris didn't get together after all. Troy King (BTW), who is the special girl at Carver?

Tony Greene is locking up his heart for Juanita Gillard. Mary Hall is it really love you have for George Harris (Ham). Henry Morman, have you made up your mind between S. H. and J. M.? Thelma Jefferson's interest is still at Tennessee State.

Ronald Ester is Mable Herdon the only one or just part of your collection? Gloria Mill we hear Larry Miller (Les) is just divine. Natolyn Williams is it R.M.B.C. or C.R.? Dorothy Yancey, Jean Brooks says she doesn't worry. Arenthia Leath and Troy King (FBH) are an ideal couple. Naomi Reed (Man) is one of the swinging youngsters around their campus. Janet Edwards is it true that you like a boy at Hamilton named Jimmy Walton? What about Aubrey Howard? Mattie Harper who is the boy of your life? Vera

Ollie what is that about you and Robert Anthony? Shirley Anthony and Howard Finley are couples now.

TOP COUPLES

Shirley Anthony and Howard Finley; Barbara Elrod and Alfred Gray; Minnie Greer and James Johnson; Helen Prudent and Stanley Beal; Kenneth Porter and Sylvia Buntin; Dorothy Prattchett and Douglass Bobo; Jewel Fields and Samuel Marshall; Vivian Chaney and Hervis Wright.

TOPS ON CAMPUS

Judith Martin, James Blackburn, Sonja Taylor, Charles Thompson, Aubrey Lumpkin, Douglass Bobo, Helen Colburn, Roy Jones, DeLois Winston, Isaac Knox, Mattie Harper, Robert Anthony, Peggy Collins and Aubrey Yates.

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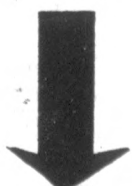
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Legislative Inquiries

The Supreme Court ruled that legislative investigators may not delve into the membership lists of organizations without first establishing that the organizations are connected with subversive or illegal activities.

The ruling came as the Court reversed the contempt conviction of the Rev. Theodore R. Gibson, once head of the NAACP branch in Miami. Mr. Gibson had refused to refer to a membership list of his organization when asked to do so by a Florida legislative committee investigating Communism.

Justice Arthur J. Goldberg wrote the Court's 5-to-4 decision. He was joined by Chief Justice Earl Warren and Justices Hugo L. Black, William O. Douglas and William J. Brennan, Jr. Justices John M. Harlan, Tom C. Clark, Potter Stewart and Byron R. White dissented.

In reaching his decision, Justice Goldberg distinguished the Gibson case from the Court's earlier opinions upholding the power of legislative committees to compel witnesses to testify about Communist activities.

But Goldberg carefully stayed inside the framework the Court adopted a few years ago of balancing the individual's freedom of speech and freedom of association against the interest of a legislature in finding out about subversive activities.

He said, "The prior holdings that

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From time immemorial man has been vitally concerned about each succeeding generation. Today we are face-to-face with the problem of charting a course upon the sea of time for the younger and the stronger who will replace us as we are sickled down by time and infirmities.

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Beside teaching reading, writing and arithmetic, we expect teachers and educational institutions to temper our youngsters with civic responsibility, which is highly essential in

governmental interest in controlling subversion and the particular character of the Communist Party and its objectives outweigh the right of individual Communists to conceal party membership or affiliations by no means require the wholly different conclusion that other groups — concededly legitimate — automatically forfeit their rights to privacy of association simply because the general subject matter of the legislative inquiry is Communist subversion or infiltration.

In the older cases, the investigators had shown a substantial connection between Communism and the individual or organization under investigation.

But in the Gibson case, Florida had failed to show any substantial connection between the NAACP and Communism. Justice Goldberg said:

"Nothing we say here impairs or denies the existence of the underlying legislative right to investigate or legislate with respect to subversive activities by Communists or anyone else...."

"We hold simply that groups which themselves are neither engaged in subversive or other illegal or improper activities, nor demonstrated to have any substantial connection with such activities, are to be protected in their rights of free and private association."

promoting the general welfare and cultural of our community. We expect teachers to help teach moral awareness to our youngsters. We look to teachers and school administrators to exert vital influence on the character, growth and training of the American youth. In teachers' hands are also one of the most important tasks confronting us — the job of making patriotic American citizens of our children.

We call upon the community to pause long enough to say to teachers — thank you for shouldering the great responsibility of educating our youngsters.

The Tri State Defender congratulates teachers — and wish for them continued great success in shouldering the responsibility of educating our future leaders.

'Storm Signals From The South, Mr. President'



JACKIE ROBINSON

White Americans Who Care About Their Darker Brothers

IT IS ALWAYS heartening to remember that there are white Americans who are genuinely concerned with the problems of their dark American brother.

Many months ago—after we had done two columns attacking anti-Semitism — we received a wonderful letter from one of those white Americans. We feel that he is the calibre of person who ought to be publicly acknowledged and commended for his vision, unselfishness and courage.

David Levinson is a venerable attorney who lives in the Quaker City. We are indebted to Philadelphia Tribune publisher, E. Washington Rhodes, for bringing to our attention the remarkable history of this man who has given many years of his life to the fight for freedom, without making a dime out of it.

This year, in June, Mr. Levinson will have completed 59 years as a practicing attorney. He has had cases in eight Southern states in defense of the Constitutional rights of Negro people. He has never accepted a fee for his involvement in such matters.

Fights Own Battle

AS A MEMBER of the Jewish faith, Mr. Levinson, now in the twilight years, has clung to the belief that, in fighting for the Negro, he fights his own battle as an American and a member of a minority group. He also has a strong passion for doing what little he can to create better, stronger understanding between the Negro and Jewish people.

A product of a poor family, David Levinson couldn't afford a high school education. He began working at the age of 12 and later studied at night to enter Law School.

In 1930, defending Eul Lee, a 73-year old Negro farm-hand charged with the murder of his white employer, Levinson challenged the presiding judge who said he had been selecting juries for 26 years. The lawyer asked whether the judge had ever selected one Negro juror. The judge said he had not.

When Levinson asked the judge why he had excluded Negroes, His Honor replied "I didn't exclude them. I never considered them."

ALFRED DUCKETT

Being Colored Can Be Dangerous

MOST OF THE time, I deeply enjoy being a Negro. For even when I have come head-on with personal rejections or collided with the discomfort of discriminations, I have always found it a relief to be a victim rather than an oppressor.

Yet, as I am sure many Negroes have discovered, there are incidents in one's life which bring home starkly the realization that there are times and situations when it is dangerous to be colored.

In a tiny Ohio police station, in 1953, the central character in what seemed a cross between nightmare and fantasy, I learned first hand how the Scottsboro Boys must have felt years ago, incarcerated in an Alabama prison.

I was a "suspect" in an armed robbery and, for all I know, I still am. I was suspect for two reasons, because I had happened to be in the general vicinity of the crime and because all Negroes look alike to some white people.

After fighting a losing battle for 2½ years for Lee, who was convicted by an all-white jury, Levinson visited the aged prisoner on the day of his scheduled execution. The old man told his champion: "I'm sick and tired, very tired and I ain't sorry to go. But I'm awful sorry for my people."

Focused on Injustices

"I WAS UNABLE to speak. The tears ran down my face," Mr. Levinson recalls. "Here was an illiterate, aged Negro man who had known nothing throughout his life but hard work and harsh words. He was to be hanged that evening. Yet his mind was focused on the injustices practiced against the Negro race."

An ironic victory was won in the Lee case. Originally, there had been seven Negroes on the jury. The Attorney General of Maryland, where the trial took place, had challenged all seven of them off the jury, giving no reasons. Yet, after the Lee case, Negroes were always included on juries in the state.

Two years after Mr. Lee's death, Mr. Levinson was accosted by a white man from Maryland who told him calmly that he had proof that Lee was innocent, but that he had to die because he was a "no-count nigger."

In one of his many civil rights cases, Mr. Levinson had the assistance of the distinguished Thurgood Marshall in a Supreme Court appeal for a Negro fugitive from a Georgia chain gang.

The high court rejected the appeal, but the then Governor of Pennsylvania refused to allow the extradition after granting Levinson a one hour and ten minute hearing.

Mr. Levinson defended successfully a number of Negro youngsters, who were on trial in army courts martial proceedings.

If this country had more David Levinsons — committed to justice and more concerned with the rights of others than in gain to themselves — we would make much faster progress toward real democracy.

I WAS DRIVING from Chicago to New York City to do advance publicity work on a Carnegie Hall concert and to set up press arrangements for the European tour of a client.

I have a magnificent sense of misdirection which led me to get lost in a maze of small Ohio towns. At 4 a.m., I stopped in a tiny place called Gallion and asked directions from a filling station attendant who was chatting with a policeman.

My confused wonderings had led me past this identical station a half hour previously. This aroused the policeman's suspicions and he took me to the station where officials seemed disturbed because

Explain About Robbery

THE GENDARMES told me there had been an armed robbery in neighboring Marion and I fitted the bandit's description. They contacted the Marion police who asked that I be held until they arrived.

DARK SHADOWS

by NAT D. WILLIAMS

BUT URGENT!

"The American Negro has made tremendous strides in the last 100 years. It has been a most difficult path... every step along the way has been hard-won... every foot of progress has had to be chipped laboriously through a jungle of prejudice and discrimination.

"Faced with the hard realities of today's world, we must accept the inexorable fact that as a Nation we can no longer afford the continued tragic waste of the Negro's skills and manpower. This gross national waste of human resources is fed by discriminatory hiring practices. Even aside from the purely moral and humanitarian considerations, it is in the vital interest of our country that we eliminate such discrimination, and that we make the fullest possible use of the talents and potential of ALL of our citizens."

The preceding words are those of the present United States Secretary of Labor, W. Willard Wirtz. Mr. Wirtz used those words as the foreword for a Labor Department brochure issued by the Bureau of Employment Security, entitled "America Is For Everybody."

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Incidentally the booklet is for sale by the Department of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C. It sells for 30 cents. It's loaded with facts and figures about the employment situation the Negro faces all over the United States today.

Mr. Wirtz's words are quoted here by way of pointing up what's behind the new brand of picketing which Negroes all over are beginning as of now. At first, Negroes used sit-in's, stand-in's, picketing, and what-have-you to gain the right to attend schools with whites, use the same transportation facilities without discrimination and gain access to libraries, zoos, and other public-supported facilities. And that was well and good, for the most part.

But, it has consistently been the contention here that the main place where the water hits the wheel... the place where the Negro should put forth his strongest effort and most determined vocalizing is on the economic front... the area of jobs. The Negro in America finds his greatest need is economic acceptance... job opportunity... work integration... or desegregation.

RACIAL FRONT

For as long as the Negro is figuratively and literally "broke"... as long as he is an economic illiterate and financial pariah, all the other so-called gains on the racial front, will add up to just so much sounding brass... and mostly hog wash. What good is it to be called "Mister" Starvation? It's urgent that the Negro keeps eating. It's that simple.

The Negro needs jobs. The race has a lot to contribute to the nation other than clowning, making music, or playing games. The Negro can work. And like Mr. Wirtz has said, America is wasting a great potential when it fails to utilize black, brown, and beige brains and talent.

True, too many Negroes are unprepared to fill many of the job opportunities now said to be open to them. But they can be trained just like any other Americans. It's time for America to wake up and train them. It's not enough to place the full blame for being backward on the Negro. Neither is it enough for the Negro to seek to excuse himself because his chances haven't been as bright and numerous as other Americans. The Negro will have to reconcile himself to a long, uphill, and continuing battle for survival. The use of picketing, the boycott, and other techniques of pressure will have to be used, if there's no other way to appeal to the nation's conscience and get working results.

ADVANCED SOCIETY

That's why every Negro in Memphis should become actively interested in the forthcoming program of the local NAACP chapter relating to obtaining more and better job opportunities for local Negroes.

As Mr. Wirtz further states, "The Nation is committed to assist in raising the economic potential of the Negro, as well as all Americans. But in the last analysis, if his economic situation is to improve materially, there must be a boot-strap effort. The Negro himself must shoulder the heaviest part of the burden, as he has in the past."

It's not necessary to read between the lines to understand what Secretary Wirtz means. It's a kind of rallying, directional call.

An hour later, the Marion police arrived.

The Marion police chief said he was satisfied I wasn't the culprit, but that I would have to be fingerprinted. I objected, just for the record.

I pointed out that I had been held for three hours and would be late for appointments in New York. I pointed out that my fingerprints had been taken much against my will. I said I had great respect for the law, but before the test was taken, I wanted to be booked on a charge.

Then I held my breath. I was gambling on the hope that the police chief wouldn't want to risk a suit for false arrest. The two chiefs went into a huddle and then told me I could leave.

Back in Chicago, I wondered if there was any way to get my fingerprints back. And I decided that I would never smile again when I heard a white man say that all Negroes look alike to him.

NOTWITHSTANDING

Thaddeus T. Stokes

FEAR REPLACES FEAR

Southern Negroes appear to be losing a century-old type of fear only to have it replaced with another type of fear. The old fear was that type of fear which comes with the dread of not being able to make ends meet. The fear of brutality. The fear of death at the hands of a wild mob.

The new fear is that type of fear brought on by not being able to measure up immediately to persons who would rather see America destroyed totally than to live in a country where minorities are — at least — being accorded some of the things guaranteed in the American Constitution.

The new type of fear was clearly referred to when I was talking with three young men who are field workers in Greenwood, Miss. for the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee. One of the workers is a 23-year-old senior at an Atlanta, Ga. college, who took a year's leave from college to help Greenwood Negroes register to vote. The other two young men are graduates from high schools in Greenwood.

The young man from Atlanta said: "I will not tell you that I have no fear while working to teach Negroes how to read, write and register to vote. I have fear, because I do not know when I'll be shot or beaten. But I do not have the fear of the white man which was used so many years to suppress my foreparents. I do not fear his jails, his determination to keep us ignorant nor his biting police dogs. But I do fear the image he is creating of himself, in a supposedly Democratic country. I fear the damage he is doing to the minds of his children. I hold fear for his future in face of the fact that the solid old south is gone forever."

Among the many tragic sides of the social revolution which is changing the complexion of this country is that the old is too old to benefit by the change, simply because they refuse to believe what is before their eyes. They simply cannot bring themselves to the realization — as the young man from Atlanta said: "there is no longer the solid old south" that they cherished. The old South is rapidly changing like any other evil system of slavery.

Democracy cannot long endure in this country unless our government, customs, and practices allow an equal opportunity to all citizens.

The young men working with SNCC also sounded the keynote of their determination to break down racial segregation in Mississippi when they said: "We use to talk, talk, talk about the wrong that is being done us. Now we are not talking very much about the wrong — we are working, working, working — to right that wrong of many years."

It is fully realized that American Negroes lack in many areas. To claim that the majority of Negroes in America were as equipped in as many areas of economics, education and industry as the white America would be as fantastic as expecting a pear tree to produce white-throated orchids.

The young men from Mississippi also revealed that they hold great fear for the great number of uneducated white Mississippians. They reasoned — we cannot utilize fully the potential in this country if ignorance is rampant in any state."

So the young men are losing fear for themselves and developing a fear of what will happen to their oppressors.

SPORTS HORIZON

Last fall former heavy-weight champion of the world Jersey Joe Walcott was in Memphis to serve as a wrestling referee in an all-Negro girls tag team match. Last week the affable Camden, New Jersey resident returned to the Bluff City to again take part in the weekly mat card held in the Amphitheater.

This time the aging but well-conditioned ex-pugilist came out of retirement to take on wrestling champion Lou Thesz in a boxing match. The rules were slightly altered for this special bout. Each participant could concede to the other at anytime before Thesz could pin Walcott and before the latter would be able to put Thesz to sleep with a knockout punch.

This writer did a two-part story of the fabulous career of the man who came within an eyelash of besting two of history's greatest heavyweights when Joe made his first appearance at the downtown auditorium. SPORTS HORIZON readers may recall that Walcott answered the age-old question on whether a boxer was tougher than a grappler. Then Jersey Joe was of the opinion that the wrestler had more at

his command in which to combat a foe and the boxer's chance hinged on a well-placed lethal punch.

FINANCIAL VENTURE

Why then has Walcott come out of retirement to don the mittens that have tried and scared the souls of men? It is a known fact the wrestling business is strictly for the enjoyment of the rabid mat fan. So when the colorful master of the feint climbed through the ropes to meet veteran Thesz you can be assured that it was just a means of supplementing his income. Walcott works out of the Juvenile Division of the Camden Police Department.

Walcott is among those who believe that boxing should be under closer supervision with former boxers with integrity hired to work closer with managers and the fighters. The recent deaths in the sport which have many state officials clamoring for legislation to abolish boxing, were significantly commented upon by the conscientious ex-champ. In Walcott's opinion modern fighters, at least many of them, take their training lightly and sign for bouts on too short notice.

NO PRO TV

If you think you missed some exciting action because the National Basketball Association did not telecast its play-offs, well, you did. The NBA and the television producers couldn't get together because of conflict of interests. The sponsors claimed that the league wanted more telecasts of lowly teams than the showings of the star-studded Boston Celtics which in 1961-62 caused the viewing rating to take a tumble. And after all that is what counts with the money-thirsty business tycoons. The circuit's objective was to keep some of the struggling franchises from bankruptcy.

The Chicago Zephyrs, who appeared quite frequently last year, is a prime example. The Chicago franchise will play out of Baltimore next season.

Many cage buffs were able to hear the semi-final series between the Los Angeles Lakers and the St. Louis Hawks via a St. Louis radio station which can be picked up rather clearly locally. Now that the Hawks have been edged in seven thrilling games and the Lakers already in the midst of their championship series with the Celtics, most West Tennessee cage followers will have to be content and catch the results of the coastal dog-fight the next day.

The best four of seven games tangle matches the high scoring antics of sensational Elgin Baylor and Jerry West against the great rebounding of NBA most valuable player Bill Russell. With Baylor and West certain to score astronomically and Russell a cinch to control the backboards, the outcome of this repeat of last year's finalists could very likely be decided by each squad's supporting cast.

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FIELD TRIAL AT STANTON

Bird Dogs and Beagles were entered in the field trial for the dogs at Stanton, Tenn., and the event was sponsored by the Woods-

dale Sportsman club. Dogs from as far away as Nashville were entered. Here owners are seen with dogs after the event.

Sportsman Club Holds Field Trial For Dogs

The Woodsdale Sportsman and Patsy, third place, owned club held its first field trial by L. O. Gillespie of Ripley. Dogs and owners winning the Douglass community of three top spots in Beagle Trial Stanton, Tenn., recently, and were Lue-Lue, L. O. Gillespie, entries from as far away as first place; Blue, F. A. Rhodes, Halls, second place, and Wash, Nashville took part.

H. C. Hardy was chief judge, Elroy Johnson, Nashville, third judge. The two judges are members of the Nashville Sportsman club and members of the faculty of Tennessee A&I State university.

Field trial chairman was Richard Short of Brownsville. Winners in the bird dog puppy class were Lady, first place, and Rachel, second place, owned by V. G. Wheeler of Ripley, and Frankenstein, third place, owned by L. J. Wiley of Somerville.

The winners in bird dogs of all ages were Kate, first place, A. Guase, Brownsville, vice president; V. G. Wheeler, Ripley; Mingo, second place, owned by Elroy Johnson, Nashville, Ripley, treasurer.

Fayette County Coaches And Basketball Players Honored

Coaches and basketball team members of the Fayette County Training high school were honored at a banquet held recently in the school's gymnasium. Guest speaker was R. J. Roddy, principal of Woodstock Training high school, who is one of the first coaches of basketball in West Tennessee and one of the founders of the State Athletic association of which he was president for many years.

Samuel Carpenter was presented a gold plaque for his 15 years as coach at the school. The presentation was made by the school's principal, John Kohleim. Carpenter told of his experience during his coaching career. His team has participated in the State Tournament 14 times — eliminated in the first round one time. He won the last Coach Of The Year award that was presented by the State Athletic Association in 1957. The team has won 68 trophies and five Sportsman-ship awards.

The principal of Fayette County Training Elementary school, Walter Bonds, presented an award to Coach James Glass, however, has been absent because of illness. Carpenter received the award for him. Chairman of the affair was Alvin Brown, supervisor of instruction.

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Problem For Zoo

DULUTH, Minn. — (UPI) — Mr. Magoo, the Duluth Zoo's mongoose who is scheduled for deportation next month, has put on so much weight that the door to his pen had to be enlarged, zoo officials announced.

30-Year Wait

TOURLOUSE, France — (UPI) — Mrs. Mathilde Mine and Joseph Albus, both 91, were married here. Albus said he had loved her for 30 years, but had to wait until her former husband died.

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Dr. W. S. Davis, Tennessee State University introduced the young African nation's Minister of Education, Social Development and Information, the Honorable M. K. Kanyama Chiume, center, and the Minister of Local Government, the Honorable Massuko Chipembere, right, to his African art carvings at his

Riverview Acres ranch. Ministers Chiume and Chipembere paid a State Department-sponsored visit to study Tennessee State University and the new Metropolitan Government at Nashville. Standing is Dr. A. T. Stephens, the University's professor of history. (Clanton III Foto)

Hamilton Halts Tigers In Prep League Baseball

The hard hitting Manassas Tigers scored 36 runs in three games last week but dropped the final game of the set to miss an opportunity to take over the lead.

Manassas started the week by trouncing Lester, 18-5, then humiliated league leading Douglass by a 18-0 count to halt the Red Devils four game winning streak this season and 18 over two years of season play.

Hamilton moved in and shocked the Tigers with a great pitching effort to halt the Manassas surge which had reached four straight victories. Hamilton's offense pushed across single runs in the fifth and sixth innings to give south-ew Larry Dailey and the Wildcats a 2-0 shutout.

Catcher Jim Walker and second baseman Aaron Slayden were the Manassas top hitters as they took advantage of the short left and centerfield fences to chalk up five home-runs. Walker connected for a grand slammer against Lester and clouted a pair against Douglass. Slayden connected

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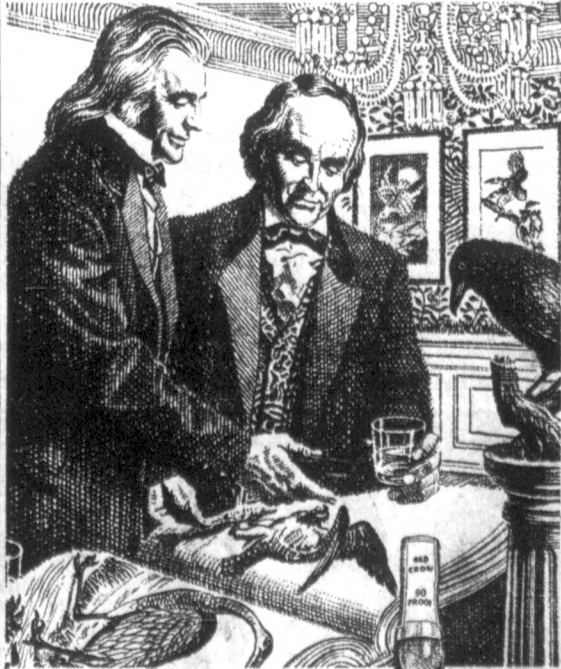
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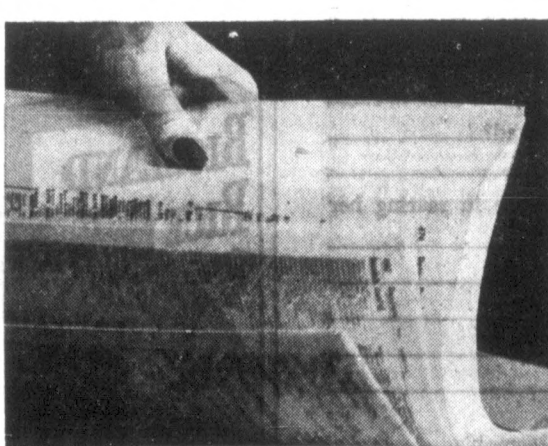
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BY MARJORIE I. ULEN

The glory of The Resurrection and the majesty of Easter Sunday were vied in splendor by matchless weather of the occasion . . . when Mother Nature donned her finest raiment for the most important day in the Christian calendar. About our beautiful city, Christians thronged to churches of the season, but with sober and thankful hearts for the debt paid on Calvary for the sins of mankind.

EASTER EVE

It was the good fortune of our community to have the outstanding concert of MISS ALPHA BRAWNER, brilliant dramatic soprano, sponsored by the REBECCA CLUB of Metropolitan Baptist church, on Easter Eve at Bruce Hall on LeMOYNE college.

The thrilling concert was a resounding success, and a capacity audience was enthusiastic in acclaim of the young diva who is a native daughter. Cries of "bravo" and "encore" were heard, making a sign of "coming of age" in matters cultural hereabouts, for, it is a well-known fact that Memphis concert audiences are known to be among the coldest in the nation.

Miss Brawner's magnificent performance matched the outstanding selections of the program . . . beginning with Mozart's "Bella Mia Fiamma," continuing with three Schubert compositions . . . "Die Junge Nonne," "Entzückung an Laura" and "Delphine," and ending the first group with immortal dramatic "Ritorna Vincitor" from Aida, by Verdi. This alone was more than worth the price of the entire concert.

Following a brief intermission . . . the captivating singer rendered a group of Strauss Lieder . . . and ended the concert with four spirituals . . . "Witness," "I Want Jesus to Walk With Me," "Jesus Lay Your Head in the Window" and "My God is so High."

FAMILY AND FRIENDS

The magnificent artist's triumphant return to her place

of birth and heritage warmed the hearts of her sister, Dr. Clara Brawner, and scores of friends, former classmates and teachers, and guests who came to hear her.

After the concert, Miss Brawner's fine accompanist, Leo Taubman, whose superb talent matched that of the artist. Mr. Taubman, too, received enthusiastic ovations for his artistry. He is remembered as the accompanist of Mattiwilda Dobbs when she was presented in Bruce Hall by LeMOYNE College.

GUESTS

Seated with Dr. Brawner were family friends, including Mrs. Aretta J. Polk, Mrs. Rena Perry and her daughter, Mrs. Katherine P. Thomas, Miss Maedella Reeves, Miss Gertrude Walker and Miss Jewel Gentry.

Others seen seated in the reserve seats section were Mrs. A. Byron Carter, Miss Lynda Johnson, Miss Maribel Vasquez of Panama; Arthur Peyron, Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Speight, Sr., Thaddeus T. Stokes and Noah Bond, Mrs. B. Carruthers, Bland, Mr. and Mrs. George Toles, Harold Jamison and his daughter, Miss Carol Jamison, Mrs. Ruby Speight and her daughter, Mrs. W. Lindsey and Miss Ada Ateman; Mrs. I. S. Bodden and her sister, Mrs. Cora Halladay of New York; Mr. and Mrs. John Whittaker, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coe, patron of the arts, Mrs. L. K. Thompson; Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Briscoe, Mrs. Briscoe's mother, Mrs. R. E. Curl of Nacogdoches, Texas, their daughter, Miss Junienne Briscoe, and her houseguest from Indiana University, Miss Marjorie Olin, Miss Billie Gail Baker and Mrs. Norvell Taylor.

Others seen in the vast audience were Robert M. Ratcliffe, Mrs. Ruby E. Gadison, Miss Yvette Luster, Miss Claudia Nevels, Miss Margaret Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Doggett, Mrs. M. L. Adams, Mrs. Gertrude Armstrong and her daughter, Miss Jewel Gentry, Mrs. Leopold Iles, Mrs. G. M. Fowlkes, Mrs. L. A. Storey, end.

Mrs. Hattie Smith, Atty. Veva Young, her nephew, Roosevelt Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey West, Thomas H. Hayes, Mrs. Thelma Whalum, Mrs. Hollis F. Price, Mrs. Whittier Sengstacke, Jr., and her sister, Mrs. Mary Johnson, of Chicago; and Mrs. D. J. Thomas.

Concert committee chairmen responsible for the excellent concert include Mrs. Harold Jamison, general chairman; Mrs. John Powell, co-chairman; Mrs. Gladys Webb, publicity; Mrs. Flora Cochran, decorations; Miss Edwina Hudson and Miss Utoka Quarles, tickets; Mrs. Willa Strickland, ushers; Mrs. Roland Powell and Mrs. Maude Redmond, social.

At the reception, among the many hostesses, all in attractive after-five dresses were Mrs. Bessie Claybrook, Mrs. Daisy McQuilla, Mrs. Evelyn Hillman, Mrs. Ruby Gadison, Mrs. Jamison, Mrs. George Toles and many others.

Miss Brawner received many beautiful floral bouquets and was presented a white orchid by the Rebecca Club.

Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Briscoe were Mrs. Briscoe's mother, Mrs. R. E. Curl of Nacogdoches, Texas; their daughter, Miss Junienne Briscoe, a sophomore at Indiana University, and her house guest, Miss Marjorie Olin of South Bend, Indiana, a classmate of Junienne at Indiana.

MISS LYNDIA JOHNSON, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Johnson, came home for the Spring break from Our Lady of Angels School in Iowa, bringing with her a very beautiful house guest and schoolmate in the person of Miss Maribel Vasquez, who hails from Panama. MRS. LAWRENCE SEYMOUR, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Arnold, visited her parents during Holy Week, and returned to St. Louis, where she now resides, accompanied by her young brother, John R. Arnold III, who spent the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shaw and their fine little son, Harold Shaw, Jr., spent the holiday weekend with Mrs. Shaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Maceo Walker. MRS. ETHEL J. PERKINS went to Chattanooga, Tenn., last Thursday evening, to attend the 31st Southeastern Regional Conference of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority. She was recently appointed regional parliamentarian by Mrs. Julia B. Purnell, supreme basileus of the organization.

MRS. BERNICE A. E. CALLOWAY attended the regional conference of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, which was held at Little Rock, Ark., last week-end. Also a senior at Manassas is



AMONG THIS SEASON'S DEBUTANTES

Bernice Johnson, Shirley Purnell, Carolyn Hollingsworth, Gwendolyn Cheatham, Dorothy Lewis and Verdia Foster.

Charm, Poise, Dignity To Fill Air At Debutante Presentation

Charm, poise and dignity, mixed with pomp will fill the air when the Memphis Alumni chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity holds its annual Debutante Presentation.

The presentation is scheduled to be held in the Mezzanine Ballroom of Ellis auditorium on May 3. These pictured are: Misses Bernice Johnson, Shirley Purnell, Carolyn Hollingsworth, Gwendolyn Cheatham, Dorothy Lewis, and Verdia Foster.

Miss Bernice Johnson, a senior at Manassas high school, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Johnson. She is a member of the National Honor Society at Manassas and plans to become a teacher. Her escort will be Rodrick Diggs, Jr.

Also a senior at Manassas is Miss Shirley Purnell, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Purnell. Miss Purnell is also a member of the National Honor Society and plans a career in education. James Walked will be her escort.

A senior at Hamilton High school is Miss Carolyn Hollingsworth, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hollingsworth. Miss Hollingsworth is interested in home economics, which she plans to make her field of concentration in college. She will be escorted by Lallan W. Boyce.

Miss Gwendolyn Cheatham is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cheatham and attends

Mitchell Road High school. A member of the F.B.L.A. club, Miss Cheatham plans to become a psychologist. Her escort will be Matthew Tyler.

Miss Dorothy Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Lewis, Jr., aspires to become a social worker. Presently she is a senior at Hamilton High school. A member of the F.B.L.A., Miss Lewis will be escorted by Jimmie Ellis.

Miss Verdia Foster, a senior

at Manassas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Foster. Miss Foster plans to become a teacher. She is a member of the French club and will be escorted by Eddie Walsh.

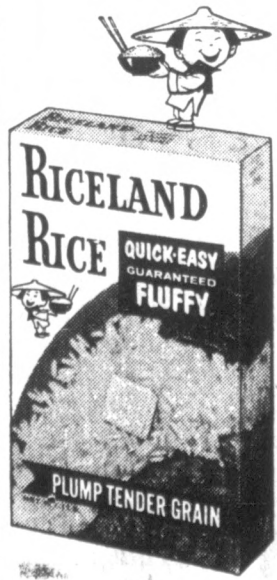
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Class Elects Mother Of Eight President

When Mrs. Levata Townsel Edwards, president of the senior class at LeMoyné college, receives her sheepskin on June 3, sitting in the audience and watching her will be her proud husband and eight children.

A host of others will be there too to applaud Mrs. Edwards, including her parents, six brothers and sisters and members of Hill Chapel Baptist church where for seven years Mrs. Edwards has served as pianist for the two choirs.

Mrs. Edwards enrolled at LeMoyné as a freshman in September 1945. After completing her first year, she married William Edwards, an asphalt worker, and settled down to have eight children.

RETURNED IN 1960
She returned to LeMoyné during the second semester of 1960.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Townsel of 1228 Englewood, Mrs. Edwards is president of the English Club and reporter for the student NEA chapter as well as president of the senior class.

She resides with her family

at 390-A McEwen. She is an English major and is doing a minor in education. She made the dean's list both semesters of her freshman year and the first semester of her senior year.

GOAL FOR CHILDREN

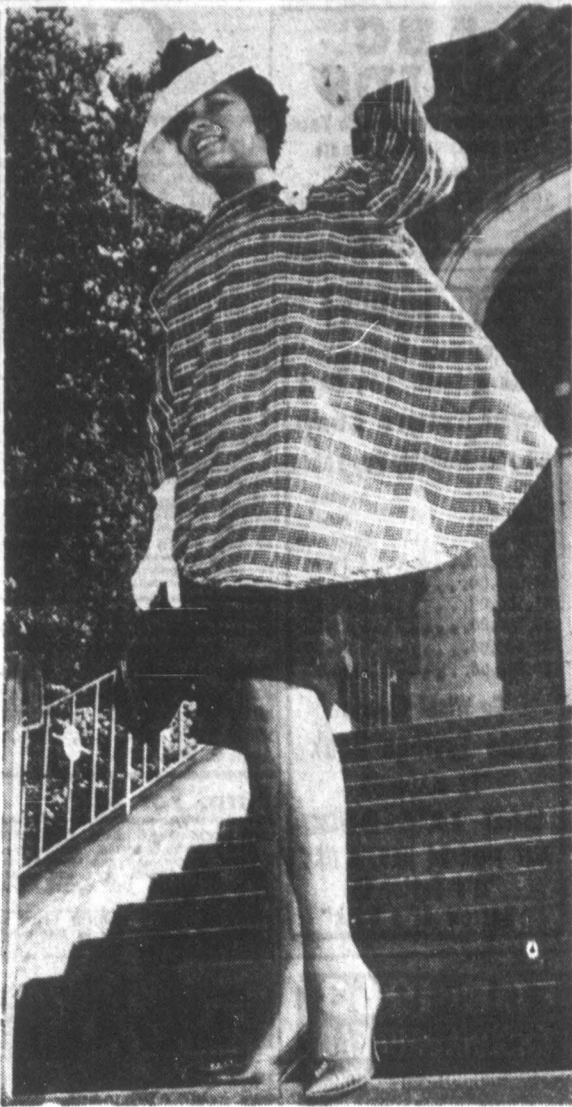
Mrs. Edwards is a graduate of Manassas High School and ranked second in her high school class.

Her goal after receiving the college degree: "I want all of my children to go to college."

South Of Tomorrow Topic In Atlanta

Dr. Clifton H. Johnson, professor of history at LeMoyné college, is in Atlanta this week representing the American Missionary Association at a conference sponsored by The Church and Community Institute. Delegates are discussing "The Mission of the Church in the South of Tomorrow."

Sessions are being held at the Interdenominational Theological Center.



EASTER PARADE FASHIONS . . . Three beautiful examples of the smart costumes worn by Memphis ladies in the Easter Parade are modeled by Mrs. Martha Jean Steinberg, Miss Eunice Carruthers and Miss Phyllis L. Brooks. Mexican influence from South of the Border is seen in the costume chosen by Mrs. Martha Jean Steinberg, Women's Director of WDIA, narrator of fashion shows and mother of three lovely daughters. She is a communicant of St. Augustine R. C. Church. The striking costume was designed by Juda Elland, local designer, and is of black and white denim, featuring a black sheath dress with a draped capelet. Long white gloves, a black clutch bag and gun metal opera pumps by Andrew Geller were complimented by a



white rolled down Breton hat by Vincent de Koven, with white chiffon covered crown accented with a black patent rose. (2) Miss Eunice Carruthers is a teacher at Melrose Elementary School and the co-owner and designer of Carls's Boutique at 582 Vance, along with Miss Dorothy Slate. She is a member and Sunday School teacher at First Baptist Church, Lauderdale. Her wide red chapeau with the African crown and cartwheel brim was of imported rough straw, worn with an off-white linen dress with black



dots, enhanced with a red silk scarf. (3) Miss Phyllis L. Brooks is a teacher at Walker Avenue School, attends Smothers Chapel C.M.E. Church and is a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. The auburn haired model is wearing a coffee toned costume suit with matching floral print bodice and jacket lining. The matching accessories included coffee-toned gloves, affinity patent opera pumps and bag. The hat, a Mr. John Original, is of beige shantung, emphasizing the new tall crown with roller brim.

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Delta Sorority Announces Plans For 'May Week' And 50th Anniver.

A peek at the activity of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., celebrating this year. Special emphasis is being placed on rendering community service. The Memphis Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta

has planned a delightful calendar for the Week of May 5-12. The general chairman, is Soror Ruthie Strong, has released the following plans . . .

Sorors will begin "May Week" with attendance at one of four churches . . . St. John Baptist church of 640 Vance Ave., Trinity CME church, 650 Wells St., Emmanuel Episcopal Church of 425 Cynthia Pl. and the St. Augustine Catholic church on Walker Ave. Mrs. Beulah Williams is the chairman.

A Delta Charm School for high school students will lend

flavor to the "Week" on May 6. Mrs. Hattie Hopkins House is the chairman.

"Delta's Showcase" for the Kennedy hospital, a favorite community service of the sorority, will be given May 7. Mrs. Norman Griffin and E. Couch are the chairmen.

For little shut-ins, a Delta Kiddie party will be held on May 6, featuring a storytelling hour. Sorors Bobbie Kirken-doll and Laura Townsend are the chairmen.

On May 9, Deltas, their families and friends will enjoy a refreshing Splash Party. Soror

Mary Collier is the chairman. Delta's Annual Charitable Contributions will be made May 10.

A popular highlight of "May Week" is "Breakfast for Milady" on May 12. Among its many features is presentation of the "Mother of the Year." A questionnaire has been placed in the paper this week, and will run every week for the public to aid in the selection of a person for this outstanding honor. Sorors Janet Lewis and Elsie Thomas are chairmen of "Breakfast for Milady."

Delta's presentation to mothers of deceased sorors on May 12, will bring to a close the "May Week" celebration of the sorority.

Soror Lorene Osborne is the president of the Memphis Alumnae chapter of the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority.

Junior Civic Club Elects New Officers

Officers of the 50th Ward Civic club were elected during a recent meeting at 190 First St. Elected president was Willie Gaskin. Other officers include:

Edward Gaskin, vice president; Miss Archie Christian, secretary; Miss A. Collins, assistant secretary; Eric Dailey, treasurer; N. Frison, chaplain; Columbus Horner, vice chaplain; Gary Foster, sergeant at arms; and Mrs. Mary Williams, supervisor.

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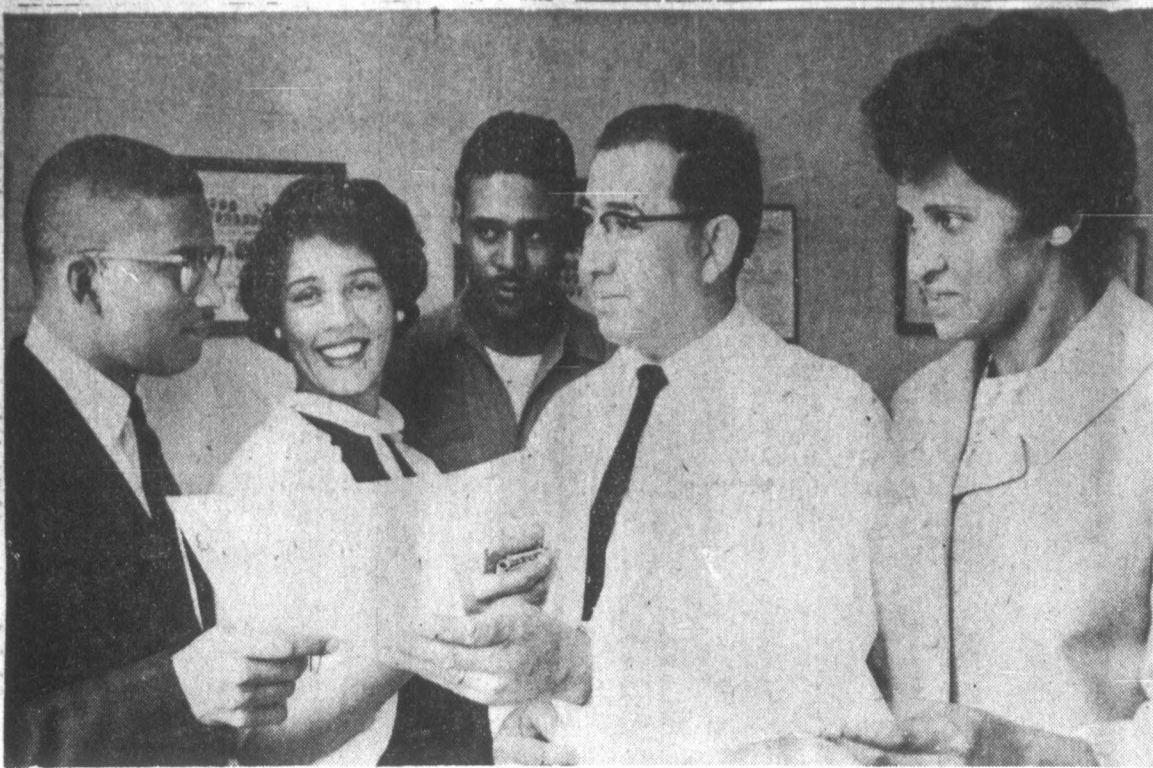
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sored by MEND. The program was designed to provide knowledge and teach certain skills whereby families will be able to care for their own needs in a national emergency. Eight other persons completed the Meharry course which was offered free of charge to all interested.—(H. Brinson Photo)

LeMoyné Students To Observe 'Teaching Career Month'

The Rufus J. Hawkins chapter of the Student National Education Association will observe "Teaching Career Month" on Friday, April 19, in a program starting at 10 a. m., in the lecture hall of LeMoyné college.

Speakers will be Harry W. Perry, director of special education, and Mrs. Rutha Pegues, speech therapist, both of the Memphis public school system. Perry's subject will be "Opportunities in Special Education," while Mrs. Pegues will talk on "Problems Encountered in Special Education."

During Teaching Career Month members of the chapter will present a skit on "Ethical Codes."

Honesty

MOUNT VERNON, Ill. — Fred Stull wore a \$3,700 smile because a passerby returned the 37 \$100 bills he dropped on the street the day before.

Dr. J. W. Falls To Speak On Education Day

Dr. Joseph W. Falls, retired principal of Geeter High school will be guest speaker when the Young People's Christian Club of West Holmes presents Education Day at the Lake Grove Baptist church at 4941 Weaver rd. on Sunday, April 28 at 2:30 p.m.

Dr. Falls will be introduced to the audience by Miss Shirley Wilson, a recent graduate of LeMoyné college, who will serve as mistress of ceremonies for the program.

Others on the program will be Miss Alice Moore, Miss Betty House, Miss Helen Meeks and N. Harris.

During the program a \$100 scholarship will be presented to Miss Recie Saulsberry by Miss Mary Hardaway.

The public is invited to the program.

Sammie Hardaway is president of the club.

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AT THE JUBILEE — School representatives who played an important role in the success of the 1963 Jubilee. Are (left to right) Miss Barbara Jean Bowden — Hamilton high school, Herman Rankin, Band master, Carver high school, Mrs. Norma Griffin, Booker T. Washington high school who

steered Miss Vivian Chaney to first place in the Miss or Mr. Jubilee Contest; Mrs. Jean Harris, Mt. Pisgah high school, Cordova, and Miss Rose Caviness, Manassas high school.

TSU Players To Present 'Bad Seed' Here April 26

The Tennessee State University Players will present "The Bad Seed" at LeMoyné College, Bruce Hall, on April 26, at 8 p. m. The players are under the direction of Dr. Thomas E. Poag, and are nationally known. This vehicle is one of their greatest productions.

Kellogg Club To Support Sickle Cell Research Fund

A Fashion Show, featuring Miss Martha Jean Steinberg as commentator, will be presented at Club Tropicana on June 2, and will be sponsored by the Kellogg's Employees' Social-Charity club.

The organization recently selected the Sickle Cell Anemia Research Program as this year's charity.

During a recent meeting the members heard Mrs. Phillip Booth, chairman of the drive to raise funds for the project, and A. C. Williams, a member of the committee, tell of the importance of the Research program.

Funds for the organization have been raised in a television ticket drawing with Miss Ernestine Winfrey claiming the prize.

Clubs desiring to assist in the fund drive should call Jimmie D. Taylor, Jr., at WH 8-5724, or William D. Smith at Whitehall 2-2246.

All proceeds above expenses will go to the current Sickle Cell Anemia Fund Drive to keep the center open for treatment and research.

The public is invited to see this fine production, and fraternal, business and social organizations are asked to support this wonderful production and the SICKLE CELL PROJECT.

H. A. Gilliam, Sr., is the executive director of the current drive, and Mrs. Philip S. Booth is the general chairman.

Elk's Oratorical Contest Set For This Sunday

The annual oratorical contest sponsored by local Elks lodges for city and county high school students has been planned for 3 p. m., Sunday, April 21, at Middle Baptist church, 821 Lane ave., announced the chairman, Frank Scott, district deputy grand exalted ruler.

Last year's winner was a young man from Father Bertrand high school. This year's winner will be eligible to compete in the State Elks oratorical to be held in Columbia, Tenn., April 28. Winner from the state contest will be eligible to compete in the regional contest in June. The regional winner will receive a \$1,000 scholarship and will compete in the national contest to be held in Boston, Mass., Aug. 25. First prize will be a \$100 Savings Bond. All expense will be paid by the national Elks Lodge convention.

Mrs. Blanche Jackson is the Tennessee state director of education for the Elks. George W. Lee is the grand commissioner of education for the national Elks lodge.

Mrs. Richard T. White of 3254 Central Ave. was in Washington, D.C., last week to attend a national conference of the National Committee for Support of the Public Schools.

Attends Meeting

Mrs. White is a member of the non-partisan organization, whose purpose is to stimulate financial support for the public schools at all levels of government.



TOP PREP SCHOOL TYPISTS

Thirty-six contestants from 13 high schools representing eight Tennessee cities participated in the contest sponsored by Tennessee State University's Business Education Department. From left are Betty Harrington, first place, shorthand; Claudette Scott, second

place, shorthand; Phyllis Crawford, first place, typing class II; Cecilia Byrd, second place typing I; Gloria Thomas, second class, typing class II; and Eddie Lee Kinnard, first place, Class I.



MOTHER TO GET DEGREE — Mrs. LeVeta Townsel Edwards of 390-A McEwen, president of the senior class at LeMoyné College, is surrounded by her eight children. Seated on floor, left to right: Ernestine and Ada

Marie. Kneeling, Christine (she's Ernestine's twin). Seated on couch, left to right: Byron, Robert, Mrs. Edwards, Gloria Jean and LeVeta. Standing, William, Jr. Mrs. Edwards is the wife of William Edward, Sr.

Pope's Plea For Racial Justice Wins Plaudits

(Special to the Defender)

NEW YORK — Pope John XXIII, in his Holy Thursday encyclical "Peace on Earth," made what is considered the most significant and concrete Papal comment on race relations since the height of the Nazi racial fury in 1937, in the opinion of Dennis Clark, executive secretary of the Catholic Interracial Council.

Calling for moral dimensions in social solutions of racial problems, the Pope said: "The order which prevails in society is by nature moral. Grounded as it is in truth, it must function according to the norms of justice, it should be inspired and perfected by mutual love, and finally it should be brought to an ever more refined and human balance in freedom."

"Where the civil authority uses as its only or its chief means either threats and fear of punishment or promises of rewards, it cannot effectively move men to promote the common good of all."

DIGNITY AS MEN

"Even if it did so move them, this would be altogether opposed to their dignity as men, endowed with reason and free will. As authority must appeal primarily to the conscience of individual citizens, that is, to each one's duty to collaborate readily for the common good of all."

Pointing out that the role of government in securing interracial justice must be not merely passive, but affirmative and aimed at producing "active solidarity," the Pope continued:

"On the other hand, the demands of justice are admirably observed by civil authorities who promote the natural betterment of those citizens belonging to a small ethnic group, particularly when that betterment concerns their language, the development of their natural gifts, their ancestral customs, and their accomplishments and endeavors in the economic order."

It is a duty for men of all races to seek "social communion, not separation," the Pope declared.

NEED TO COMMUNICATE

"There are groupings of people of more or less racial background," he said. "However, the elements which characterize an ethnic group must not be transferred into a watertight compartment in which human beings are prevented from communicating with their fellowmen belonging to different ethnic groups."

"This would contrast with our contemporary situation, in which the distances separating peoples have been almost wiped out."

"Nor can one overlook the fact, that, even though human beings differ from one another by virtue of their ethnic peculiarities, they all possess certain essential common elements, and are inclined by nature to meet each other in the world of spiritual values, whose progressive assimilation opens to them the possibility of perfection without limits."

"They have the right and duty, therefore, to live in communion with one another."

Constant attention is required for social harmony and justice among races, the Pope's encyclical declared, "because of the marked dynamism of our society, new solutions and a steady adaptation to change is required in race relations as in other social concerns."

"We deem it opportune," the Pope continued, "to point out how difficult it is to understand clearly the relations between the objective requirements of justice and concrete situations, namely, to perceive the degrees and forms in which doctrinal principles and directives ought to be applied to reality."

"And the perception of those degrees and forms is all the more difficult in our times, which are marked by a pronounced dynamism. For this reason, this problem of bringing social reality into line with the objective requirements of justice is a problem which will never admit of a definitive solution."

In the meantime, the Holy Father stated, our children must watch over themselves lest they relax and feel satisfied with objectives already achieved.

PERSONALITIES

Lorraine Williams, Charles Branham, Joe Duckett, Minnie Walker, Doris Gammon, Jimmy Rice, Eleanor Houston, Rosie Montgomery, Shirley Redd, Naomi Nevels, Gail Franklin, and Robert Rivers.

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The JACKSON Scene

by Anna C. Cooke

PASSION WEEK SERVICES

Here's hoping your Easter holidays were most enjoyable ones and that you did not let the pleasures of the Easter bunny take the place of the real meaning of Easter.

To issue in the Holy Week Services, John Stainer's "The Crucifixion" was presented at the morning worship hour on Palm Sunday at St. Paul CME church under the direction of Mrs. E. C. Ramey, senior choir director.

Featured soloists were Dr. W. E. McKissack, Dr. E. L. Carter, Carty Robinson, Jr., Mrs. Mary Fox of St. Paul's senior choir and Thomas Howard, guest soloist from Mother Liberty CME church. Mrs. Freddie Clark Black of Jackson and Memphis served as organist.

On Sunday evening the Youth and Adult choirs of Berean Baptist church presented "The Seven Last Words" by M. Isabelle Ritter and excerpts from Forest C. Walter's "Portals Everlasting." Special numbers presented by the Youth Choir were "The Strife is Over" and "The Palms."

TEC CONGRESS

On the educational side, many Jacksonians journeyed to Nashville last week to attend the Tennessee Educational Congress which was held on the campus of Tennessee A. & I. State University.

Featured speaker for the General session on Friday was Rev. Marshall L. S. Shepherd, pastor of Mt. Olive Tabernacle Baptist church and Councilman-At-Large of Philadelphia, Pa.

Your scribe attended the library section meeting where Dr. Samuel Shepherd, assistant superintendent of schools and Director of the Banneker Group in St. Louis, Mo., was the guest speaker along with Mrs. William Stokley, author and columnist of Newport, Tennessee.

These of the entire meeting was "Superior Teaching for Crucial Change."

DEBS PRESENTED

Springtime marks the social season and it was Friday, April 5 that 17 debutantes were presented by Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., in the Lane college gymnasium. Making their debut to a huge audience were: Ruby Mae Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Griffin Wells, Katie Joyce Merry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Merry, Brenda Kay Monroe, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. William Monroe, Maybelline Ragland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Ragland, Patricia Ann Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Collins Jones all of Jackson; Shirley Ann Bacon, daughter of Mrs. Ester Bacon of Tracy, Ky.; Deloris Anne Browne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Brown of Jackson; Hortense Olivia Bolden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Quince Bolden of Somerville; Clara Jean Carroll, daughter of Mrs. Alverda Carroll of Humboldt; Sallie Beatrice Burns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Burns of Dyer; Minnie Lee Massie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Massie of Selmer; Joyce Evangeline Joyce Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Willie Eva Monie of Jackson; Martha Sue Coleman, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. T. R. Coleman of Humboldt; Martha Ann Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaw, Jr. of Jackson; Brenda Joyce McGee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Landrum of Union City; Barbara Jean Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hart of Jackson; and Rosa Lee Verser, daughter of Mrs. Lizzie Verser.

of Denmark, Tenn.

Attired in white floor length formal, the debutantes made their entrance in the midst of their sponsors, Sigma sorors, in formal attire.

They were presented nosegays by escorts including Milton Charles Perry, Nero Lawrence, George Reid, Charles Ratliff, Anthony Finger, Charles Dawson, Bobby Rush, Milton Womack, James Jackson, Malcolm Gray, William Whyte, Jr., Jerry Wayne Neal, Gill Anderson, Anthony Clark, Marion Hunt, and John Rhodes.

The moment of the evening was the crowning of "Miss Debutante" at which time the honor was bestowed on Miss Joyce Johnson, a junior at Merry High School. Second place honors went to Brenda Kay Monroe, a junior at Jackson High school, while third place honors went to Deloris Anne Brown, a sophomore at Merry High school.

Chairman of the Cotillion was Mrs. Dorothy Hamlett Young with Mrs. Odessa Beck serving as co-chairman. Basilus of Nu Sigma chapter is Mrs. Vivian Bell.

Hostesses to the April meeting of the Jackson Alumnae chapter of Delta Sigma Theta sorority were Mesdames Alfreda Porter, Janie Pruitt, Dorothy Douglas, and Etta B. Williamson. Conducting the business session was Mrs. Mildred Hay, president after which a delicious chicken dinner was enjoyed by all present.

Remember the Fisk University dancers! You just saw an example of the performance in last year's pageant. You will be able to see a whole show on April 30. Under the direction of Mrs. Mable R. Love of Nashville and Fisk, the dancers will be doing a benefit for the United Negro College Fund drive at Lane College. Curtain time is 8 p.m., at the Merry High School gymnasium. General admission is one dollar with student tickets on sale for fifty cents advance. J. A. Cooke is director of the UNCF drive on the Lane College campus.

Another date to remember is Thursday, May 2 when the Citizens Fellowship Dinner will be had. Tickets are \$5 each. The battle is not yet won and who can tell how much finance will be needed in the future. Do not turn down the representative when he comes to you. Let's make this a big affair.

Orchettes Plan Jimmy Smith Organ Concert

The "Orchettes," an organization of young Memphis professional women will present Jimmy Smith and his organ and orchestra in concert to be held at Currie's Club Tropicana on Sunday, May 5.

The Orchettes plan to present outstanding artists in benefit performances to raise funds for their charity projects. Officers and members of the year-old organization are Mrs. Florence Bonner, president; Mrs. L. Juanita Green, vice president; Mrs. Earnestine Adams, secretary; Miss Virginia Chappell, assistant secretary; Miss Sylvia Grady, treasurer; Mrs. Mae W. Smith, financial secretary; Mrs. Mary J. Britt, business manager; Mrs. Lillian Jean Bumpus, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Bobbie W. Currie, reporter.



GRAND OPENING of the Promoters' League were attended by, left-right: Charles Jarrett, assistant manager of the bowling lanes; Miss Gwendolyn Cheatham, James Crittendon, president of the Junior Promoters, Roland Lambert,

general manager of Rollaway Lanes, Bolden Lawson, president of Promoters club; Rev. N. A. Crawford, manager of Southern Educators; Jacqueline Harris and Jacky Price.



BY CANDLE LIGHT members of Theta Zeta Alumna chapter and honorary members of Pi Rho Zeta International Commerce sorority repeated their pledges during a formal ritual at St. John Baptist Church, 640 Vance Ave., recently. Seated alumnae members: Mrs. Georgia Walker, secretary, Miss Veska Edwards, assistant secretary, Miss Vernita Kerr, president, Mrs. Annie E. Crawford, vice president, Miss Lucy Cursey, chairman program and activities com-

mittee. Standing: Mrs. Pochahuntas Boykins, parliamentarian, Honorary Members Mrs. Garrett, Miss I. J. Gleeden, Mrs. L. Threats, other members include Mrs. Frances Hassell, Mrs. Jana Porter, Alumnae members Miss Mildred Jones, chairman pledge and Sgt. at Arms, Miss Aleta Gatewood treasurer. Members at large, Mrs. Ray Parker Dudley, Paris, Frances, and Miss Curlynn Spann, Jackson, Tenn.

Humboldt, Tenn.

SCIENCE FAIR

The Science Fair at Stigall High School Sunday, April 7, proved to be a success. More than forty displays and projects were closely observed by a large crowd of spectators who moved through the corridors of Stigall.

Mrs. Anna B. Bryson and her division of the second grade won first place for grades 1-2-3. The title of their project was "How Plants Grow." They received a beautiful trophy which will be kept in their room for one year.

Mrs. Ora C. Gentry and her division of the fourth grade won first place for grades 4-5-6. They also received a trophy to be kept in their room for one year. The title of their project was, "Growing New Plants."

Electroplating Baby Shoes, a job well done by Jimmie McCarrie and David Ellis both Juniors, was first place winner for grades seven through twelve. Their names will be engraved on a bronze plaque to be placed in the trophy case. There were other projects completed by science students that need honorable mention. The teachers and parents recognize these students as prospective winners for next year.

THE JUDGES

The judges for the Fair were Mrs. Alberta Jamison, teacher at Rutherford Elementary school, Rutherford, and Principal A. W. Simmons of Central High school Alamo, Tenn. The judges had a little trouble making a decision because of excellence of work done. This is an indication that teachers and students put a lot of time and effort into the planning for the Fair.

The Science Department of Stigall is appreciative of the interest and help contributed to the boys and girls who asked for advice and help from resourceful people who could contribute much to the development of the projects and exhibits. C. H. Williams, chairman of Science Dept.

The Annual Athletics Banquet of Stigall was held in the Library Wednesday night

April 10. R. L. Radford, Region IV, Athletic commissioner of Trenton, served as Toastmaster.

Rev. M. H. Burnett gave the invocation.

Music was by Estrellitas. The purpose of the banquet was to raise funds for the basketball and football players who had earned them. Announcements and recognition of Guest was made by Principal A. P. Nunn. The banquet address was given by

H. T. Conner, president of Region IV Athletic Association and Principal Weakley County Training School. More than 150 teachers, pupils and friends were present. After the banquet everyone went to the Gymnasium where O.C. Cole's Pipes were waiting to play for the rest of the evening.

Members of the Athletic Club, Anna B. Bryson, Enid Sims, Willie Poston, C. C. Moody, Jr., U. Johnson, C. F. Jones.

TOP STUDENTS

The Valedictorian and Salutatorian of Stigall High School have been announced by Principal Nunn and senior class Advisors Mrs. N. F. Wil-

liams and Glenn Waldon.

Misses Martha Coleman and Peggy Donaldson have tied for Valedictorian. W. A. Boykin is Salutatorian and Miss Dorothy Gentry ranks third. It is unusual for a class to have two Valedictorians.

The Sponsors and contestants of the Miss Debutte Contest sponsored by the Board of Directors of The Gillespie Kindergarten are busy at work. All of the contestants, sponsors and parents will be announced next week. Also the date of the contest. The Board is grateful to Mrs. N. N. McKelvey for making cookies for the Kindergarten every week. The little ones certainly enjoy them.



THE 1963 "MISS JUBILEE" is pretty Vivian Chaney, 17, (center). She is the daughter of Mrs. Alma Chaney — a popular beautician. Miss Chaney is tall, tan, and persuasive. Her dancing eyes and daring dimples are expected to win the hearts of Memphians as she lead the parade and processions in the annual Jubilee festivities. She lives at 348-D Fourth St. Second Alternate — Another lovely girl with charm and poise is second 17-year-old, Miss Delores Crenshaw of Carver high school (left). Miss Crenshaw shares honors with

Miss Chaney and South Memphians are looking forward for a glimpse of her in her glory. She is the daughter of Mrs. Maggie Crenshaw, 118 W. Utah St. Second Alternate — Petite, shy, and beautiful is only a partial description of Miss Eleanor Banks of Lester high school (right). This is her second year as a Court Member and the extreme northeastern portion of the city awaits to acclaim her. Seventeen, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Price, 648 Tillman St.



By CARLOTTA WATSON
Counselor B. T. Washington
Hi School

Musing: Wasted Opportunity... Ruskin once said that when we fail to praise a man who deserves praise, two sad things happen; we run a chance of driving him from the right road for want of encouragement, and we deprive ourselves of one of the very happiest of our privileges, the privilege of rewarding labor that deserves a reward.

Dear Mrs. Watson: I am married and have three children. When my mother and father come to see me he gets angry and he stays angry all the time. We have been married three years and he acts the same old way.

Carrie: In-law trouble is as old as time itself. That is something that either works, or does not work. However, I would not give up hope of his making an adjustment...

some in-laws and sons-in-law do not see eye to eye in at least 10 years.

Dear Mrs. Watson: My husband and I have separated. I thought another man wanted to marry me, but he changed his mind. Now my husband has gone to Chicago. I want him back. Before he left he was always asking me to take him back. How can I get him?

Carrie: I think probably you have over played your hand. You can't have your cake and eat it too. Most men who pretend that they love you so very badly when YOU ALREADY HAVE A HUSBAND, suddenly lose their affection when they are shouldered with responsibility. The next move is up to your husband. You may write to him... but it is still up to him to accept your excuse. If you do get him back, I hope you will remember this when your temper tells you to walk off again.



EASTER AND MILADY — Against a background of dogwood blossoms and the beauty of nature, Miss Barbara Griffin epitomizes the chic appearance of fashionable women in the Easter Parade of last Sunday. Miss Griffin is a second grade teacher at Cummings Elementary School. She attended Bethlehem Baptist Church, wearing a yellow linen suit which featured a white sleeveless blouse, the jacket embroidered with yellow, white and green flowers, an original by Jacquelyn. Her matching chiffon hat, gloves and shoes and bag completed the striking costume which keyed one of the seasons most attractive color combinations. (Photo by Mark Stansbury).

Hamilton High School

By BETTY HOLLOWELL

DEBATE:

Anderson Cook and William Richmond debated on WLOK radio station on the subject: "Be It Resolved That Communism and Other Ideologies Should Be Taught in Public Schools." Their opponents were Charles Brown and James Kincaide of Douglass, who won by a score of 90-48.

GLEE CLUB:

The Hamilton Glee club under the direction of Mrs. Johnnie Winston presented their first annual concert on April 7. Bennie Jenkins, a Metropolitan finalist and a member of the Hamilton faculty, was their guest artist.

Also, in honor of Willa Dean Parker and the Valadors. Tuesday was acclaimed DEANIE PARKER DAY. Top recording stars, such as William Bell, The Mar-Keys, The Lyrics, David Porter and, of course, Deanie and The Valadors were present to entertain the enormous audience.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM:

A student speaker, a mock meeting and a combined skit and puppet show composed the assembly of the speech department. Some of the students participating were Nadeline Hurst, Herbert West, Evelyn Simmons, Bobbie Douglas, Betty Carr, Julie Saville, Jacqueline Hardy and Maudette Brownlee.

COMING EVENT:

The Hamilton Band concert will be given April 17 in our auditorium. The public is invited to enjoy this event with us.

MIGHTY SENIORS:

Joyce Walton, Pat Hooks, Myrtle Rankins, Peggy Waller, Rosie Tabor, James Carpenter, Ernest Patton, Matthew Dandridge, Tyrone Byrd, Lawrence Griffin.

JOLLY JUNIORS:

Jackie Young, Betty Carr, Eva Britton, Delois Buchanan, Mary Eskridge, Robert Davis, Veron Grose, Leo Gray, Ronald Hooks, William James.

SILLY SOPHOMORES:

Doris Casey, Beverly Wells, Carol McDaniels, Barbara Tabor, Elizabeth Hill, Lorenzo Forest, Revenca Gates, James Elmore, Fred Jones, Harry Martin.

SPRING FEVER:

I have noticed a ring around Annette Corley's neck. How about that Larry Clark? Jackie Young and O'Leary Ankton say Jov Hives will never make a triangle.

Terri Robinson and Raymond Myers operate by a switch, on and off.

Theodore Anderson and Joyce Walton are still tight. Is it true that Lawson Rowe and Bobbie Herron are as one? Marilyn Roby has eyes only for Royelle Somerize.

Sherman Helton has admiration for a certain young lady at B.T.W.

Alice Taylor is willing to wait.

Clara Lynch has not heard claim on one of the Bobo Brothers (H B)

Magician Ranks

With Ton Scorers

Monroe Curran, sensational guard from Halls, Tenn., who paced LeMoynes' Magicians during the past season, was ranked 16th among individual scoring leaders, according to final statistics just released by the National Collegiate Athletic Association. He had a 26.0 average.

Captain James Gordon, the big forward from Louisville, wound up in the No. 14 spot among field goal percentage leaders. His average was .611.



HEADED TO CHURCH on Easter Sunday morning is Miss Willa Monroe, a WDIA radio personality for 11 years before her retirement on account of illness. Miss Monroe is seen leaving her home for mass at St. Augustine Roman Catholic church where she is a member, and is wearing an orchid corsage, a gift from her former employers. Miss Monroe is beginning to make public appearances after an illness of 18 months.